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LOWELL MASS. THURSDAY JANUARY 29 1914

PRICE ONE CENT

\$500,000 FIRE IN MANCHESTER

84 FAMILIES FIREMEN INJURED ARE ASSISTED BY FALLING WALLS

F. F. AYER IS OPPOSED

By City Under Act Providing Aid for Mothers With Dependent Children—Twenty-five Thousand Needed This Year

The number of families being assisted by this city under the act providing assistance for mothers with dependent children under 14 years of age is 84. 6 new families having come in since January 1. The total amount to be paid the 84 families for the month of January will be \$178,69 which would mean an expense of over \$17,000 for the year providing no more families should be enrolled. The fact remains, however, that new families are coming in every month and it has been estimated that the total expense this year would amount to about \$25,000.

one child while others have eight or nine children. The average, it is stated, is about four children to a family. Hear the singers, Asso., Frt.

THE INITIATIVE
City Clerk Finds Names Inaccurate—Plenty of Time Left

The registrars' work of comparing and checking off signatures to the Initiative papers filed last Saturday asking for a special election in relation to the acceptance or refusal of the Pillsbury estate for a contagious hospital was completed last evening, and it was stated by the city clerk that the papers were short a considerable number of names.

In view of the fact that all names attached to Initiative or referendum papers must agree in every particular with the names on the checklist, it is little wonder that a great many names have to be thrown out. The voter must sign such papers just as his name appears on the checklist. If he should drop a middle initial or fail to spell his name as fully as it is spelled on the checklist the registrars would have to throw the name out.

So far as getting the requisite number of names in concerned the persons handling the Initiative papers will not experience the slightest trouble. It was stated this morning that persons had telephoned their desire to sign the papers and asked for information concerning them. The petitioners will have ten days from next Saturday in which to make up the insufficiency of names as discovered by the registrars.

Manhattan night, Asso., Frt.

SERGT GIROUX HONORED

Sergeant William Giroux, who for the past few years has been in charge of the late night shift of the local police department, and who a few weeks ago was transferred to the detective bureau, was agreeably surprised this morning, when he was presented a gold badge by the patrolmen of the late shift, the presentation being made at police headquarters at 8:30 o'clock.

The sergeant arrived at the station at 8 o'clock as usual and a few minutes after the night shift men had answered the roll call. He was called into the guard room, where all his former men had gathered. In behalf of those present Patrolman John McCarthy presented the officer a handsome gold badge embossed with the seal of the city of Lowell and tastefully engraved. Patrolman McCarthy, in making the presentation reviewed the work of the popular sergeant during his four years as sergeant of the late night shift and told how that man regretted to lose such a close friend and valuable superior officer. He said the "boys" of the late shift, including those who a short time ago were shifted, wished to honor their sergeant for the kind treatment given them while he was with them, and he concluded by extending to Sergeant Giroux behalf of all present their good wishes for his success and happiness.

Sergeant Giroux, although taken unaware, thanked his friends and assured them that although now located in another branch of the business, he will always be with them in spirit, for he assured them that the best four years of his life were passed with the "boys" of the late night shift, and he told them that the gift will be treasured as a souvenir and bond of friendship. The 25 patrolmen of the late night shift as well as the four who were shifted to other parts of the department were present at the presentation.

Manhattan night, Asso., Frt.

PURE BLOOD
BUSINESS BEACON

People are like ships—

At night they are guided by light.

Try electric light in your display window.

It's a business beacon in the port of success.

Lowell Electric Light Corp.

40 Central Street.

Merchants' Exchange Building, the Most Important Commercial Block in Manchester, Destroyed by Fire—Business Paralyzed by Closing of Electric Power and Lighting Plant—Spread of Flames Checked by the Amoskeag Bank Building

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 29.—Fire broke out about 4:20 o'clock this morning and by 8 o'clock had caused a total loss estimated at over \$500,000 and practically razed the Merchants' Exchange building, the most important commercial block in Manchester. In it were located the Barton company, the largest drygoods and general department store north of Boston, the Folsom company, another large drygoods store, the Merchants' National bank and the Hillsboro County Savings bank and the Western Union Telegraph Co.'s main city office. Several firemen were hurt, though not fatally, by the falling walls. The electric power and lighting plant, which supplies electric power for the city, was shut down and business paralyzed. The cause of the fire is unknown.

The flames were first seen on the north part of the fourth floor, in the Folsom store and spread so quickly that when the firemen reached the scene the building was ablaze from basement to roof.

Help From Concord and Derry

Help was summoned from Concord and Derry but the fire was under control before the apparatus arrived from these places.

The spread of the flames to other property was checked by the new ten story Amoskeag bank building, nearing completion, which stood as an effective barrier on the north of the Merchants' Exchange building. From the upper floors of the bank building the firemen were able to pour a deluge of water on the burning structure beneath.

Nearly all the windows on the south side of the new building were shattered by the heat.

The injured firemen, William Fitzpatrick and Charles Skinner, were struck but not seriously hurt by bricks from a falling wall.

The Merchants' Exchange building was a four story brick structure and was owned by a syndicate of real estate men.

\$24,000 LOSS BY FIRE

Two Wooden Blocks at Caribou, Me.—Destroyed—Overheated Stove Started Fire

CARIBOU, Me., Jan. 29.—Two wooden blocks, valued with their contents, at \$24,000 and owned by M. E. O'Regan were destroyed by fire today. Other buildings in the business section were threatened. An overheated stove in the millinery store of Miss Evelyn A. Smith was supposed to have started the fire. Mr. O'Regan estimated the loss on his buildings at \$20,000. The other losses were estimated as follows: \$1000 on Miss Smith's stock; \$1600 on the jewelry store of Byron O. Noyes, and \$1600 on the bookstore of A. V. Gould. All had some insurance.

It was stated today that a committee of the trustees of the Lowell General hospital would appear before the municipal council at its meeting on Saturday and enter a protest against the acceptance of the Ward land.

It is understood that if the tuberculosis hospital were located on the Ward land, the Lowell General would be confounded with the other institution to the detriment of the former.

Mr. Ayer having put about three-quarters of \$100,000 dollars into the Lowell General hospital, it is but natural that he is very solicitous for the welfare and happiness, does not wish to be downgraded into an eleemosynary institution conducted by the city. It is the danger of infection that Mr. Ayer fears for in all probability, he does not believe that there is any danger from this source. Indeed Dr. R. E. Baldwin of Saranac Lake, one of the world's greatest specialists on tuberculosis, comes out with a statement that the danger of infection in tuberculosis cases is almost a negligible quantity. The statement is approvingly commented upon by the Journal of the American Medical Association.

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Chief Engineer of Public Service Commission in New York Gets Large Increase

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Alfred Craven, chief engineer of the public service commission, has just had his salary increased from \$16,000 to \$20,000 which is the highest paid official in the service of the city or the state. He now gets nearly twice as much as the governor and \$500 a year more than the mayor or corporation counsel.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BLOOD—Died in Everett, Mass., Jan. 27, at his residence, 22 Jackson avenue, Minot L. Blood, aged 25 years, 10 months, 2 days. Besides his wife, Cora (Do Roehn) Blood, he is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren M. Blood of Pepperell, Mass. Funeral services will be held from the residence, 22 Jackson avenue, Everett, Mass., at 10:30 a. m., Friday, Jan. 30, in the Edson cemetery. Friends invited. Undertakers, George M. Eastman, in charge.

KANE—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth A. Kane will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 108 Smith street. A mass requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CHARLTON—The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Charlton will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 108 Fayette street. A solemn mass of requiem will be sung at the Immaculate Conception church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MAGUIRE—The funeral of John P. Maguire will take place Saturday morning from the chapel of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. A high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BANK OF ENGLAND

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The bank of England was enabled today in consequence of further world-wide ease in the monetary situation and the strong position of its reserve to lower its minimum discount rate by one per cent, making it three per cent. This was the third reduction since the beginning of the year. A week ago the rate was reduced half of one per cent.

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South Ends, Associate Tonight.

COL. GOETHALS ACCEPTS

SEC. GARRISON ANNOUNCES THAT
GOETHALS WILL BECOME GOVERNOR OF PANAMA

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Secretary Garrison announced today that Colonel George W. Goethals has signed his intention of accepting the governorship of the Panama canal zone, to be proffered by President Wilson.

Col. Garrison stated that Col. Goethals' acceptance was unqualified.

"I am not able to give out the terms

of Col. Goethals' acceptance in the present time," said Mr. Garrison, "but it is whole and complete. When Pres-

ident Wilson sends his name to the

Senate I shall probably be able to make

an interesting statement."

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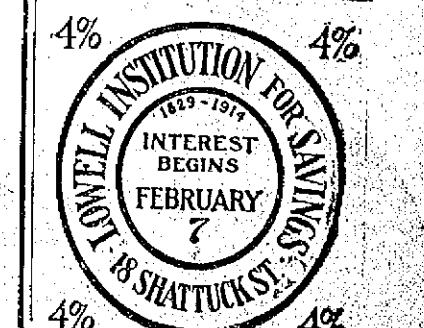
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198 Merrimack St.

School and Rock Sts.



MILLIONAIRE KIDNAPPED

F. L. Clark, Held at Los Angeles, Cal., for Ransom of \$75,000 by "Blackmailers"

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 29.—A being held for ransom of \$75,000 by "blackmailers" in or near this city, received by a morning paper. Francis Clark disappeared from Santa Barbara, Calif., the Spokane millionaire, Jan. 17, after seeing his wife off on a

PHILADELPHIA

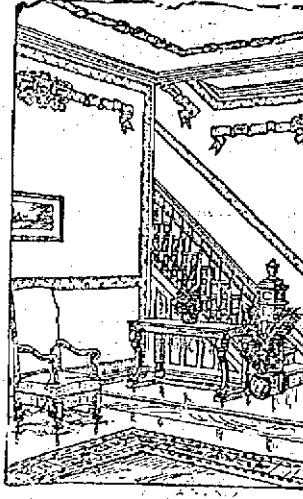
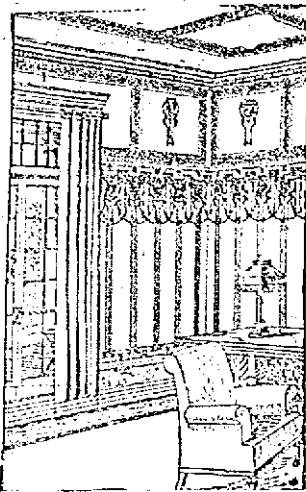
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ON BENEVOLENT WORK

The Institutions Enumerated by the Census Bureau at Washington

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 29.—The report on benevolent institutions in the United States for 1910, 232, or 16 per cent, were institutions for the sick; 143, or 27 per cent, were institutions for the care of children; 151, or 24 per cent, were homes for adults or adults and children; 20, or 4 per cent, were societies for the protection and care of children; and 126, or 2 per cent, were institutions for blind and deaf.

The report on benevolent institutions is one of a series of reports issued by the bureau of the census on institutions for the relief and care of the dependent and delinquent classes. It includes specifically those institutions which care for the dependent, the needy, and the sick, exclusive of those for paupers, the insane, and the feeble-minded, which are covered in other special reports. The great majority of these institutions are conducted by private persons or corporations, both with and without financial assistance, whether from public or private benefaction.

Distribution of Institutions

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A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store for Thrifty People

This is the only store-wide bargain movement of the year—the only time that all departments work together at a special sale. At this final clearance before inventory every one of our 30 odd departments has a chance to dispose of the goods they do not wish to take in stock with no restrictions as to cost or profit. Our previous "Look Here" sales have proven a boon to Lowell's shoppers. For three days three items from each department will be emphasized by the "Look Here" signs. The index signs in the hanging frames point to the bargains offered.

BLACK DRESS GOODS

Fine French Wool Poplin, 56 inch width. Regular price \$1.50 yard. Special for this sale Only 75c Yard
56 Inch All Wool Suiting Serge, \$1.25 quality. Special price Only 89c Yard
Priestley's Tussah Royal, a mohair and worsted fabric. Regular price \$1.39 yard. Special price Only 98c Yard
Fine German Batiste, beautiful black, \$1.50 quality. Special price Only \$1.15

COLORED DRESS GOODS

1200 Yards of All Wool Dress Goods to be sold at this sale. \$1.00 and \$1.50 qualities at the low price of 50c Yard
Our Entire Line of Remnants of 50c and 39c Dress Goods; batiste, serges, pencil stripe suiting, all colors and black. Sale price, Only 29c Yard
1200 Yards Fine Printed Chiffons to be closed out at once. We have made the price an object for you to come to this sale. These are remnants and are matched up in waist and dress patterns. Regular price 50c. Special clean up sale Only 15c Yard
Palmer Street Right Aisle

WASH AND WHITE DRESS GOODS**LOOK HERE SALE**

On the Bargain Counter—Palmer Street, Centre Aisle, at 5c Yard—About 2500 yards odds and ends of the season, comprising percales, dimities, batistes, mercerized novelties, serpentine crepes, corduroys, etc. Regular price from 12 1-2c to 17c.
On the Tables—Palmer Street, Centre Aisle, at 7c Yard About 10,000 yards of the following materials—Best quality outings, extra fine voiles, batistes, pongees, crepes, etc. Regular price from 12 1-2c to 25c.

On the Gingham Counter—Palmer Street, Right Aisle, at 12 1-2c Yard About 1500 yards of up-to-date materials, limited assortment Anderson gingham (plain and fancy), pamilla cottons (short ends), novelties, suiting, 40 in. printed, plain and fancy voiles, colored corduroys, silk and cotton goods, etc. Regular prices from 10c to 39c.

SILKS

About 100 Yards White Taffeta Silk, remnants. Regular price 75c. Only 19c Yard
About 200 Yards Black India Silk, remnants. Regular price 59c. Only 19c Yard
About 100 Yards Damaged Velvet Remnants, colors. Regular price \$1.00. Only 19c Yard
Palmer Street Right Aisle

TRUNKS AND BAGS

20 Trunks, 34 inch size, fine brass trimmings, heavy cloths, two centre bands, iron bottoms, Excelsior style locks. Regular price \$6.50. Only \$3.98 Each
2 Fitted Suit Cases, 24 inch size (only two). Were \$10.00. Only \$5.00 Each
12 Fine Men's Bags, sizes 17 to 20 inches. Were \$15 to \$20. Only \$12.50 Each
Palmer Street Near Avenue Door

LINENS

30 Dozen Knit Face Cloths, subject to manufacturer's slight imperfections, made to sell for 5c to 10c each. Look here price, 2c Each, 3 for 5c
600 Yards All Pure Linen Crash, 17 inches wide, in red borders only. Regular price 12 1-2c. Look here price 9c Yard
50 Pattern Cloths, Irish make, size 68x86 inches, warranted all pure linen, only four designs. Regular price \$2.50. Look here price Only \$1.50
Palmer Street Left Aisle

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

Damaged Sheets, Three for One Dollar (3 for \$1.00). This means an accumulation of sheets made of good cotton, by a little mending will wear as well as perfect ones, good lengths and widths up to 72 inches. (Fine clearance) 3 for \$1.00
About 76 Dozen Pillow Cases, in one size only, 42x36, made of "Dwight Anchor" cotton (but not stamped). A little more than we wish to carry over. Regular price 19c. Final clearance price Only 12 1-2c Each
Palmer Street Left Aisle

LININGS

7 Pieces Striped Linings, satin finish, in grays and browns. Regular price 39c. Only 25c Yard
10 Pieces Linen Lawns, all colors, 40 inches wide. Regular price 12 1-2c. Only 8c Yard
14 Pieces Colton Mores, all colors, 27 inches wide. Regular price 35c. Only 21c Yard
Palmer Street Right Aisle

LADIES' GLOVES

Ladies' 16 Button White Kid Gloves, reach over elbow. Regular \$3.00 glove. Special for three days \$1.89 Pair
Ladies' 3 Clasp Novelty Kid Gloves in tan, with colored stitching. Regular \$1.50 and \$2.00. Special price 79c Pair
Children's Woolen Gloves in all colors and sizes. Regular 25c and 50c. Sale price 19c Pair
West Section North Aisle

ART AND FANCY WORK

Pillow Covers. Regular 25c and 50c, at 10c
Varus, all kinds, odd shades 3c Skein
Royal Art Packages. Regular price 25c to \$1.50 at ONE HALF PRICE
East Section Centre Aisle

50 COATS AT \$5.00 EACH

Regular Prices \$15.00 and \$16.50
One reel of misses' and ladies' winter coats, all perfect, mixtures and chinchillas.
\$3.98 SWEATERS 98c
Small lot of odd sample sweaters, slightly soiled.
Cloak Department

CORSETS

Redfern Corsets. Regular price \$5.00. For this sale \$1.98
W. B. and R. & G. Regular price \$2.00. Only \$1.39
Brassieres. 50c quality Only 25c
West Section Right Aisle

INFANTS' WEAR

Children's All Wool Sweaters, in gray, red and tan, button high at neck, ages 2 to 4 years. Regular price \$1.50. Sale price, Only 50c
Children's Quilted Coat Linings in white only, ages 2 to 4 years. Regular price \$1.50. Sale price Only 50c
Children's Elderdown Bath Robes in red, pink and blue, satin trimmings, ages 2 to 4 years. Regular price \$1.69. Sale price Only 75c
West Section Bridge

LADIES' SHOES—Street Floor

AT 50c PAIR—Ladies' Boots and Oxfords, discontinued styles and small sizes. Regular price \$2.50 and \$3.50.
AT \$3.75 PAIR—Ladies' Tan Calf Skating and Walking Boots, button or lace. Regular price \$4.50 and \$5.00.
AT 59c PAIR—Ladies' Crochet Slippers, all colors. Regular price \$1.00.
East Section Right Aisle

SMALL WARES

Holtite Dress Shields. Regular price 25c. Sale Only 14c
Clinton Safety Pins, all sizes. Only 5c Card
Assorted Packages Tape. Regular price 10c. Sale, Only 5c
West Section Left Aisle

MILLINERY

Trimmed Hats. Were \$3.98 and \$4.98. Sale price, Only \$1.98
Untrimmed Beaver Hats. Were \$1.98 and \$2.98. Sale price, Only 98c
Untrimmed Felt Hats. Were \$1.25 to \$1.98. Sale price, Only 25c
Palmer St. Centre Aisle

UMBRELLAS

1 Lot of Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas, black, assorted handles. Regular value \$1.00. Special for three days Only 50c
East Section North Aisle

STATIONERY

Ruled Stationery, white. Regular price 10c box. Specially priced 2 Boxes for 50
Indelible Ink. Regular price 10c box. Specially priced Only 5c Box
Two Quire Box of Paper and Envelopes. Regular price 25c. Specially priced Only 10c
West Section North Aisle

FANCY GROCERIES

The 25c Pickles, Jellies, etc. Only 20c Each
The 10c Pickles, Jellies, etc. 3 for 25c
50 Lbs. Coffee, 25c grade Only 20c Lb.
Merrimack Street Basement

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Oating Flannel Night Shirts, made from heavy flannel, neat patterns, with or without collar. Regular price 75c and \$1.00. Only 59c
Men's Oating Flannel and Donut Pajamas, heavy flannel, good patterns, our best make and salesmen's samples. Value \$1.50. Only 98c
Boys' Gauntlet Gloves—Boys' Gauntlet Gloves lined and unlined, salesmen's samples, at one half the regular prices. Regular prices 50c and \$1.00. Only 25c and 50c
Men's Wool and Worsted Gloves, medium and heavy weight, black, oxford and fancies. Regular prices 50c and 75c. Only 33c
East Section Left Aisle

RIBBONS

5 1-2 and 6 1-2 Inches Wide Remnants in Taffeta, Satin, Dresden, Moire, the regular prices of these are 25c, 39c and 49c, for 12 1-2c Yard
4 and 5 1-2 Inches Wide Remnants in Plain Taffeta, Satin, Dresden and Bulgarian. Regular 19c/quality, for 8c Yard
4 Inch Black Taffeta, just the thing for hair ribbons, the regular 15c quality, for 6c Yard
West Section Centre Aisle

LADIES' UNDERWEAR

75c—Were \$1.25—Ladies' Medium Weight Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, ankle. Extra large sizes.
79c—Were \$1.00—Ladies' Vests and Pants, one half wool. Extra large sizes.
50c—Were \$1.00—Children's Union Suits, one half wool, high neck, long sleeves.
West Section Left Aisle

DRAPERY DEPARTMENT

Smokers' Stands. \$1.00 values Only 25c
\$1.00 Seriou Curtains Only 49c Pair
\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00 Irish Points and Vestibule Laces to close out at Only 47c Yard
\$1.00 Dutch Lace Curtains Only 49c Pair

RUG DEPARTMENT

\$15.00 to \$18.00 Tapestry 9x12 ft. Rugs, to close Only 9.98
\$12.50 to \$15.00 Tapestry 8 1-4x10 1-2 ft. Rugs, to close Only \$8.98
East Section Second Floor

JEWELRY, ETC.

Black Chains, long. Regular price 50c. Specially priced Only 15c
Pendants and Chains. Regular price 50c. Specially priced Only 15c
Buckles and Bell, Pins. Regular price 50c. Specially priced Only 15c
West Section Right Aisle

TOILET GOODS

Vanity Boxes, celluloid; flesh, white and brunette rouge. Regular price 50c. Specially priced, Only 25c
Black Never-Break Dressing Combs. Regular price 25c. Sale price, Only 10c
Derma-Viva, Liquid Face Powder. Regular price 50c. Sale price, Only 15c
West Section Right Aisle

CUT GLASS

Britannia Metal Loaf Sugar Holders. Regular price 75c. Specially priced, Only 25c
Parisian Ivory Puff Boxes. Regular price \$1.50. Specially priced Only 50c
Parisian Ivory Nail Polishers. Regular price 50c. Specially priced Only 25c
Compotes—Cut Glass. Regular price \$1.50. Specially priced, Only \$3.00
Cut Glass Water Pitcher. Regular price \$6.98. Specially priced, Only \$3.50
Berry-Bowl. Cut Glass. Regular price \$8.98. Specially priced, Only \$5.00
West Section Right Aisle

LADIES' HOSIERY

19c—Were 25c—Ladies' Gray Fleeced Hose, double soles, high spiced heels.
38c—Were 50c—Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, oat size, double soles, high spiced heels.
50c—Were \$1.00—Ladies' Silk Hose in black and tan, double soles, high spiced heels.
West Section Left Aisle

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

White Petticoats, made of fine material, trimmed with blind or open embroidery, made with or without dust ruffle. Regular price \$1.50 Only 75c
Nightgowns made of fine muslin and batiste, made in high or low neck, trimmed with real val. lace and dainty embroideries. Regular price \$2.95 Only \$1.50
Drawers, of very fine material, trimmed with exquisite laces and elaborate embroideries. Regular price \$1.95 and \$1.50 Only 69c
West Section Second Floor

HOUSE FURNISHINGS

Sleve Irons—100 only, nickel plated sleeve irons. Regular price 25c each. Look here price Only 10c Each
Fibre Chair Seats—100 fibre chair seats, 3 different shapes, all sizes. Regular price 10c each. Look here price, Only 5c Each
Sink Drainers—58 only, blue enamel sink drainers. Regular price

LEATHER GOODS

10c. Look here price Only 5c Each
Silk and Velvet Girdles. Regular price \$1.00 and \$1.50. Specially priced Only 25c
Strap Pocket Books, red only. Regular price 50c. Specially priced Only 19c
Elastic Belting. Regular price 50c. Specially priced, Only 5c
West Section Right Aisle

LACES AND TRIMMINGS

Lot of Odd Laces—Caminsole laces, venise edges, bands, shadow edges, from 4 to 7 inches wide. Regular price 50c to 80c yard, to close Only 33c Yard
Colored Embroidered Silk Band Trimmings, from 1 to 4 inches wide. Regular price 50c to 75c yard, to close, Only 17c Yd.
Narrow Band Edges, in delicate shades, suitable for trimming the party gown. Regular 25c and 33c values, to close, Only 12 1-2c Yard

All Our Fur Trimmings Reduced to Half Price

West Section Centre Aisle

Underpriced Basement**MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND BOYS' SHOES**

Men's Leather Lined Box Calf Blucher, wide toe, a very desirable shoe for this time of year, never sold for less than \$3 and \$3.50. All sizes in this lot, 6 to 11. Sale price Only \$2.49 Pair
Women's Shoes—This lot includes the odds and ends of our better grades, all styles and leathers are in this lot. Prices range to \$3. A good variety of sizes. Sale price Only \$1.49 Pair
Boys' Storm Shoes, the well known J. P. S. kind with heavy soles and with buckles at top, will stand the roughest of wear. Never sold for less than \$2 and \$2.50. Sizes 3 to 6, some smaller sizes. Sale price Only \$1.49 Pair
Basement Shoe Department

UNDER PRICE MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's 50c Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear, shirts and drawers, slightly soiled. 50c values. Look here sale 25c Each
Men's Cotton Hose, black and tan, medium and heavy weight, full seamless. 12 1-2c value. Look here sale 6 1-4c Pair
Men's Heavy Jersey Fleeced Underwear, brown, silver grey and coral. 50c garment. Look here sale 29c

BOYS' CLOTHING SECTION—LOOK HERE SALE

Boys' Pants—Boys' knickerbocker pants, made of all wool mixture, blue serge and corduroy, made full size and double seamed. \$1.00 value 69c Pair
Boys' Blouses—Blouses made of fine wool, flannel, percale, with and without collars. 50c value 35c Each, 3 for \$1.00
Boys' Suits and Overcoats—Boys' suits and overcoats, made of all wool cloth in the latest models, sizes 2 1-2 to 17 years. Regular \$4.00 value, at \$2.25

MEN'S AND BOYS' HAT AND CAP SECTION

Hockey Caps—Children's hockey caps in all the latest combinations of colors. Regular 50c value. Look here sale 29c Each
Men's Soft Hats—Men's soft hats, all new fall and winter shapes and colors. \$2.00 value. Look here sale 98c Each
Men's Winter Caps—Men's heavy winter caps, made of heavy wool material, in all the new shapes. 50c and 75c value. Look here sale 35c

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From Yesterday's Late Editions

FOR REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING STOCK MARKET SEE LATER EDITIONS

AGENT H. E. WADELY OF THE CARPET TALKS

The Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Co. earn \$8,000 and \$6,000 weekly, as the company of Veneers, N. Y., one of the largest manufacturing plants of its kind in the country, recently announced a reduction of 10 per cent. in wages, and when this was called to the attention of Agent Harold E. Wadeley of the local plant of the Bigelow Carpet Co., he gave out an interesting statement to the effect that conditions could be made better through greater efficiency in eliminating unnecessary loss of time and waste of material.

The following items relative to the Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Co.'s reduction appeared in a recent issue of the New York Times:

The Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Company of Veneers, which in the past three years has distributed \$12,000 among its 600 employees under a profit-sharing plan, announced yesterday that beginning Feb. 1, wages would be reduced 10 per cent. There are 7,000 employees. They found this notice in their pay envelopes yesterday. "Owing to general conditions there will be deducted 10 per cent from your wages beginning Feb. 1st until further notice."

POLICE FOIL SUFFRAGETTES

Militants Who Attempted to Break Up Cabinet Meeting Driven to Jail in Their Own Auto

LONDON, Jan. 28.—Militant suffragettes today made a bold attempt to break into a meeting of the British cabinet council sitting at the official residence of Premier Asquith, Downing street.

An automobile belonging to the Women's Social and Political Union, the militant suffragette organization, with a woman driver at the wheel and filled with suffragettes, dashed from Whitehall into Downing street before the line of police could bring it to a halt.

When the driver refused to obey the order of the police inspector on duty to retire from the street, the entire party of women were placed under arrest and taken across Whitehall into their car, to police headquarters at Scotland Yard.

The automobile was decorated with placards protesting against the forcible

feeding of suffragette prisoners and demanding that the cabinet cease the "torture of women in English jails."

The unexpected raid caused great excitement and a large crowd soon gathered about Downing street.

The women were later arraigned at Bow street, where three of them refused to give their names and were entered in the charge book under numbers. The other one, who had acted as driver, said she was Miss Virtue, and was the private secretary of "General" Mrs. Flora Drummond. Miss Virtue is said to be engaged to marry a Monsieur rancher as soon as women have secured the vote in Great Britain.

Each of the suffragettes made a short speech in court about the ill-treatment of women in jail.

All the prisoners were bound over to be of good behavior for six months

\$11,553 for money lent, is the principal creditor.

MUAREZ, Mexico, Jan. 28.—General Francisco Villa arrived from Chihuahua today. He will confer for several days with representatives of mining and smelter interests regarding reorganization of business in the rebel territory. He then will return to Chihuahua which he calls the provisional capital of the republic, to direct the attack on Torreón.

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—Bankruptcy proceedings were begun today against the brokerage firm of W. A. Gove & Co., through whose offices stock in Beckington parks a race track at Salem, N. H., was sold. The partners in the firm are Wesley A. Gove and Fred H. Arnts. The petitioner in bankruptcy is John W. Linnell, whose claim against the firm is \$15,337. The firm sold its seat in the Boston stock exchange a year ago.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Certificates of telegraph, telephone, and cable companies must be preserved for three years, some still longer, and others permanently, according to new regulations issued today, to become effective Feb. 1 by the interstate commerce commission. The order of each company must have control of destruction of all records.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Secretary Bryan addressed the "Common Council Club" here today in favor of the state-ideal primary plan. Joseph W. Taft, solicitor of the state department, and president of the club, introduced Mr. Bryan as the "honestest man in the United States; not in silver and gold, but in the affection of his fellow citizens."

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FIRST CHANGES NARROW

E. P. DROPPED POINT ON INITIAL SALES—MARKET LATER TURNED DOWNWARD

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—First changes in stocks today were narrow and indecisive. The only important movement at the opening was on Union Pacific, which dropped a point on the initial transaction. Professional traders inclined to the short side but the strength of the market during the last fortnight caused them to move cautiously and the volume of business was not large. A majority of the active stocks opened fractionally lower and when it became evident that no aggressive buying movement was under way, selling pressure was increased. The market turned definitely downward. Southern Pacific, Rubber, Steel, Smelting and New Haven were depressed a point.

Buying of stocks was less confident today but pressure was not severe and prices hardened after the opening decline. Reports that the Mexican problem was assuming a more troublesome aspect were cited in explanation of the reluctance of traders to extend operations on the long side. Although earnings for U. S. Steel for the last quarter came up to general expectations bears sought to make capital of the fact that they did not equal the more bullish estimates of the last few days. Failure to extend the early decline, however, checked short covering and the bulls succeeded in pushing up trading materially. The tobacco stocks and other investment shares also made a good showing but the general upturn was slow.

An outbreak of rebellion in the Back Island securities depressed them one to two points before selling pressure was exhausted. Notwithstanding this movement the general market advanced which occasioned modification of bearish opinion. London reversed its attitude toward the market, selling a large part of the stock taken here yesterday.

The market closed heavy. Rapid slackening of the demand for stocks tempted the bears to make a concerted demonstration against the list in the final half hour. Reading lost all of its rise and the general level sagged again to fractionally below yesterday's closing.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—There was a downward tendency in the tone of the copper market today but it halted early in the afternoon. Trading was light to the close. Alaska Gold 23 1-2; Butte & Superior 26.

Call money steady, 1 3-4 at 2 per cent.; ruling rate 1 7-8; last loan 2%

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Cotton spot closed steady. Middling Upplands 12 50; Middling Gulf 13 15. Sales 1300 bales.

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MATRIMONIAL

A pretty wedding took place this morning when Mr. Elias J. McQuade of Hickman & McQuade, was united to Miss Frances Clare Nolay at the parochial residence of St. Michael's church. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. John J. Shaw in the presence of immediate relatives and friends. Mr. Joseph Haggerty was best man and Miss Ann Elizabeth Coughlin bridesmaid. The bride was charmingly attired in a creation of white crepe de chine trimmed with Carrickmacross lace with veil caught up with orange blossoms. She carried

a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. The bridegroom wore pink crepe de chine, a hat of brocaded satin with matching streamers and carried pink roses.

At the home of the bride, 447 Bridge street, the happy couple were congratulated by their intimate friends. The house was beautifully decorated by McQuade, and the bridegroom provided a wedding breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. McQuade left on a noon train for a honeymoon trip. They were made the recipients of a great variety of costly wedding presents.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Arrived Mr. Olympia from Southampton.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—No hearings on the administration's trust bills are expected before the senate inter-state commerce committee.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Arrived Mr. Kroonland, from Antwerp; Teutonia, Germany.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 28.—Prominent members of the Hampden county bar express the opinion that John H. Mack of North Adams will be governor. Wadeley's choice to succeed Christopher H. Carlisle as district attorney.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Renewals of 16 general arbitration treaties with foreign nations were considered today by the senate foreign relations committee without action and will be again discussed tomorrow.

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 28.—E. W. Jones, a wealthy retired New York business man, died at his home, Woodlands, of heart failure, at the age of 71 years.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—An Italian detective was on the stand throughout the testimony at the trial of Angelo Salvo, accused member of a black gang that terrorized the East End for more than two years.

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ENFORCING LIQUOR LAWS

Those who would put the responsibility for the local infractions of the liquor laws on the shoulders of the three license commissioners are either ignorant of the true conditions regarding the situation or have little regard for the facts of the case. It is necessary for the proper enforcement of the municipal and state regulations that the commissioners be prudent in the granting of licenses, that they be alert and vigilant, that they be always ready to co-operate with the mayor and police department, that they refuse to renew licenses when the holder has been guilty of flagrant law infraction and that they keep in personal touch with the holders of licenses. If they have failed in any of those particulars they have failed in their duty, but they have not failed in their duty to the public if they have refrained from making surprise visits to hotels and barrooms at all hours of the day and night, if they have neglected to hang round corners watching entrances of liquor saloons. If, in other words, they have refused to usurp the duties of the police department of which the mayor is head.

When the license commissioners of the city were also heads of the police department, infractions of the liquor laws could with some degree of justice be laid directly to the negligence of members of the commission governing the granting and the holding of licenses. At these times it was expected that the commissioners should get evidence against offenders. Even when the present license commission was organized, its members followed out precedent in making surprise visits to saloons and doing more or less of the spying incident to the getting of evidence against holders of licenses who did not respect the liquor laws. The scheme was not satisfactory. In the abstract it did not foster cordial or honorable relationship between the members of the commission and licensees and it was just as unsatisfactory from the practical point of view because the members of the commission became well known and were almost certain to meet things in apparent order.

With the abandonment of the spying policy, the members of the license commission adopted a relationship with the holders of licenses founded on good faith. They did not get lax in their activity or negligent in law enforcement. It has never been shown that they intruded themselves between the violator of the liquor laws and any punishment that was deemed necessary. In fact it may be said without fear of contradiction, and proved, that any pressure brought to bear on the chief of police by the license commissioners during the past four years was exerted in the interest of law and order and the proper enforcement of the liquor regulations.

The aim of the license commissioners has been to encourage the license holder in respect for the law in order to make his business permanent. It has not been found necessary by licensees as in years past to urge their claims for renewal or bring any pressure to bear on the commissioners. Where a man has been found worthy of license renewal, it has been granted. The commissioners have dwelt on this consideration to the holders of licenses collectively and individually, and when violations were reported by the police, they were acted on promptly. It has been the duty of the police to get evidence against violators of the liquor laws and the commissioners have been ready, as we believe they are today, to co-operate in every way possible with the mayor and police department in getting full compliance with the law.

The state heard had no idea of the licensees' nest they stirred up, when they told us we must build a contagious hospital. There will be a lot of buzzing before the matter is settled and some people are bound to get stung.

The Woonsocket Call asks: "Where is Col. Roosevelt these days?" He's not in Lowell and we don't know of any concerted movement locally to find him. Things are stirred up enough at present without him.

Those rascals on the Merrimack river indicate that Lowell is doing more than its share in making this section the winter playground of New England.

If silence is golden, who is the richest man in the municipal council?

Seen and Heard

A well-known locomotive engineer in discussing the failure of his locomotive which was comparatively new, to keep a head of steam on during the recent excessively cold weather, remarked:

"It is just like trying to make your kitchen range do its work if you put it out in your back yard in the same weather."

They were shopmates and were discussing literature:

"Do you read much, Bert?" asked Fred.

"Oh, quite a little bit," replied Bert; "mostly English and American authors, however."

"Have you ever read 'The Man with the Iron Mask'?"

"No, I haven't; but then I never took much interest in baseball, anyway."

They were talking of the potato. Mrs. T. said it was a native of Peru, where it still grows wild, producing tubers of excellent quality.

"Then why?" said her companion.

"It is called the Irish potato?"

"I don't know," she replied, "but I suppose it was domesticated in Ireland, before it was brought here."

Then, noting the tell-tell quiver of her companion's face, not quite controlled, she said: "I guess that is the wrong word; but why shouldn't one say that plants are domesticated when they are

To Ward Off Deafness.

The Journal of American Medical Association prints an item, that a French doctor, Fernet, has recommended contraction of the facial muscles and actual wiggling of the ears to exercise the Eustachian tubes and thus ward off deafness. Those interested in the question of flexibility of the ear bones to prevent deafness should write E. Soltz, Room 435, 45 W. 33rd St., New York City.

cultivated for domestic and culinary purposes?"

"Why, indeed, only that our 'mother tongue' is so complex. We may say of either men or plants, that they have become naturalized; but, so far as I know, only animals are domesticated."

This year the Farm and Trades school, the school for worthy boys located on Thompson Island, in Boston harbor, reaches its 100th anniversary. The board of managers and Superintendent Charles H. Bradley are now discussing plans for the observance of the centenary.

This school is the pioneer in America in many of the things which are now generally done in boys' schools and academies in all parts of the country, and its cottage row government, in which the boys serve as mayor and aldermen and elect their own government, antedates the "George Junior Republics" or any other similar school government.

There is a head waiter who has the reputation of a wit. There is one story about him, going the rounds of patrons of the cafe, where he is employed that proves it.

The story concerns a very fastidious

old gentleman, who was cursed with a weak stomach and indigestion. One day he ordered for luncheon some honey, a glass of water and an apple.

When these were served, he took a large spoonful of honey, but dropped it half-way to his mouth. There, clinging to it, was an unstartable dash. In disgust he picked up the glass of water. He could hardly believe his eyes, for on the side of the glass, was another: with a groan he picked up the apple, but there again—

This was too much. He called the waiter and made his complaint.

The waiter looked over the situation and then ventured as his opinion that the dash in the honey, which had come out of the comb, that there was no excuse for one on the apple.

It was a Baldwin; and that certainly there could not have been one in the ice water, for the ice had been shaved.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and one of the pioneers of the labor movement in America, was born in London, Jan.

1850. In early youth he went to work in a cigar factory. At the age of 13 he emigrated with his parents to America. The family located in Boston, where the future labor leader followed his trade as a cigarmaker. When the cigarmakers formed their International union, in 1865, young Gompers was one of the charter members, though he was but 15 years old at the time. In 1881 he represented the organization in a conference held in Pittsburgh, to form a national labor body. Mr. Gompers was elected first vice president of the new organization, which was then styled the Federation of Organized Trade and Labor Unions of the United States and Canada. In 1887 the name was changed to the American Federation of Labor. Mr. Gompers was elected president in 1882 and has filled the office ever since, with the exception of the year 1894, when the socialist element of the trade union movement brought about his defeat.

"I WONDER WHY"

In youth I labored hard at school,

I could repeat the lengthy rule

That told how the cube root is found;

My brain again whirled round and round

With all the rules of rule—

Yet never, since I went to school,

Have I a cube root yet discerned,

Nor used the rule that then I learned—

I wonder why?

Fell oft in hazy memory,

I call to mind the G. C. D.

What was the thing? Why was it taught?

O, what prodigious, painful thought

I spent on it, and how I'd fret!

The forgive G. C. D. to fret!

And still, in all the years to me,

Has never come a G. C. D.—

I wonder why?

And fractions, too, I multiplied,

I turned them up, or on one side,

And added them, or used some trick,

To get the answer right and quick;

Yet since my brave diploma came,

I must confess—perhaps with shame—

I never had to multiply

A fraction when I sell or buy,

I wonder why?

Old Euclid, too—I toiled with him,

I tackled diagrams with him;

Whilst various angles I'd bisect,

Dots, circles, lines and flying arcs,

And all the cabalistic marks

I've never used since that far day,

They do not help me draw my play—

I wonder why?

The algebraic mysteries

Once were as plain as A. B. C's.

I could stretch X's, V's and Z's

Across the board and then with ease

Could solve, although my mind 'would vex

The problem showing what was X.

Yet since I left the schoolhouse door

I've forgotten X, plus Y, plus Z—

I wonder why?

—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

CAUTIOUS DRIVERS

Boston Post: If the bill relative to careless automobile driving in the public highways of the state, which was filed with the clerk of the house yesterday, should become a law, there will be greater safety to foot passengers and less recklessness on the part of those controlling power vehicles. The bill provides not only for a heavy fine, but for imprisonment as well, and the offender will find that he cannot escape with the mere act of opening his pocketbook.

LAITTI

Lewiston Sun: The whole island of

Haiti is about as large as Maine.

The eastern two thirds is Santo Domingo, with a population about equal to Maine. The western third is Haiti with a population nearly three times as large as Maine. In Haiti the population is mostly negro or mulatto; in Santo Domingo, Spanish creole. The language of Santo Domingo is Spanish; of Haiti, French. The trade of both republics is principally with the United States.

TREES IN PARIS

Christian Science Monitor: It must be interesting to American cities at this time to learn that the planting,

raising and up-keep of the trees which contribute so much to the beauty of Paris are duties regarded among the most important of those performed by the prefecture of the Seine. In the United States and Canada work of this kind is usually of secondary consideration in municipalities. Many European municipalities refuse to regard it so, and with results that charm the tourist from across the Atlantic.

CANNED GOODS

New Bedford Mercury: In the year

that is just ended, canned goods to the

value of twenty million dollars were

exported from the United States.

Meats, fruits, vegetables, dairy products

and fish were the principal articles

forming this class of exports, and

they were distributed to all parts of

the world, especially the tropics,

through England is a large customer

for certain classes, especially salmon

and fruits, while considerable quantities

go to the non-tropical territories

of the United States which, in turn,

send quantities of canned fruits and

fish in exchange for other classes of

canned goods sent to them.

SAFETY FIRST

Fogler's Democrats: "The Safety

First" movement among the railroads

of New England is surely growing.

Sunday more than a thousand em-

ployees met in Boston and discussed

conditions. "Safety First" was the

pitch of the arguments. The railroads

urged discipline while the em-

ployees counseled good will as means

of procuring "safety." Our idea,

we hope, is a happy medium.

ENGLAND AND OIL

Burlington Free Press: John Bull

plans to have his new battleship

on the assumption that Lord Murray

will secure oil fields in Central and

South America. That project having

failed, England will be forced to change

her naval plans. No wonder the British

representative in Mexico sought to

promote the scheme of Huerta who

favored the British plans.

which they might wish to improve as

a road which Westford is bound to

maintain. We presume it will be best

under the "small town act" or with the

aid of automobile fees. We did this

to relieve the town of Westford of a

FOR LATE LOCAL AND TELEGRAPH
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FOR REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING
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JUDGE NAMED 'PATENT INSIDES'

Christopher Callahan to
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by Judge Pratt's Death

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Mr. Callahan has served in both branches of the legislature and is at present district attorney for the western district of Massachusetts.

DETROIT SHOULD WORRY

ALL BUT SIX PLAYERS ON RE-
SERVE LIST HAVE SIGNED FOR
1914 SEASON

DETROIT, Jan. 28.—All but six players on the reserve list of the Detroit baseball club have signed their 1914 contracts. The missing men are Baker, catcher; Hall, pitcher; Gainer and Vitt, infielders; Cobb and Crawford, outfielders. Only one player, Pitcher Willard, has gone over to the advertising he handled.

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Canada Paid Western
Newspaper Union
\$42,000 a Year

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—How Canada has paid the Western Newspaper Union \$42,000 a year for the last 12 years to circulate reading material about the Dominion through the medium of "Patent Insides" which the union furnishes to newspapers, was told to the senate lobby committee today by George A. Joselyn of Omaha, president of the union and Alfred Washington, its advertising manager.

Joselyn testified that the matter so circulated was marked advertisement and was designed to induce Americans to emigrate to Canada.

Washington testified under cross examination that he did not think it un-patriotic nor disloyal to his country to circulate such matter.

Canada's interior department, he said, paid the Western Newspaper Union one dollar a volume for all such material, the newspapers used.

W. J. White, Canadian official in charge of immigration agencies in the United States appeared voluntarily to his government paid \$70,000 a year advertising in the United States for immigrants. He added that he did not disparage the United States in the advertising he handled.

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Athletes and Athletics

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Bob Flitz didn't make much of an impression on the court which listened to his plea for a bout in New York apparently. At least the Justice of the supreme court who handled the case did not want to take the responsibility of putting Flitz back in the roped arena and uphold the decision of the boxing commission. Robert was very wrathful over his defeat in the fourth round of their go. Flitz was bad enough but Burns fair to prove even a worse affliction to the sensibilities of the sporting public.

Oliver M. Chadwick, the Lowell boy who acted as goal umpire in the Harvard-Princeton hockey clash Saturday night at the Arena, has come in for a great deal of criticism over his ruling on the alleged Harvard goal. Chadwick, however, is upheld by the experts in his opinion that the goal was not legal as it first struck the top of the cage and then dropped to the surface.

Owen Moran did not take kindly to the sort of wallop passed out by Young Shugrue in their bout at Madison Square Garden last night. The other English boxer, "Sapper" O'Neill, fared no better at the hands of Johnny Dundee. Moran quit in the seventh round clutching that Shugrue had foul him but the Britisher was the only man present who saw the foul. O'Neill stuck it out but took an awful trouncing at Dundee's hands.

Frank Kelley, who won the high hurdle race at the last Olympiad, and Howard Drew, the colored flyer from Springfield, have been matched to run off a special race at the Penn Athletic Carnival. This event will prove one of the biggest drawing cards that Pehr has ever put on in their annual classic.

EX-SEN. CULLOM DEAD

ILLINOIS MAN WAS A PERSONAL
FRIEND OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN—
ILL ONLY SHORT TIME

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Former Senator Shelby Calum of Illinois died here this afternoon after an illness of

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—By a vote of 53 to 18, the senate this afternoon seated Blair Lee, democrat, as a senator from Maryland. It was the first contest to be voted upon by the senate coming up under the new direct election amendment.

DEATHS

ARMSTRONG—Mrs. Fred Armstrong, 431 Hildreth street, aged 43 years. She died early this morning at her home. Is survived by her husband, her mother, one sister and four brothers.

"Coddling" will never cure a cold

Hot rooms—foot baths—sweltering blankets encourage the germs of Influenza, Grippe and Pneumonia. These deadly germs thrive on "coddling." What you need is an active agent to destroy them.

REP. V. F. JEWETT

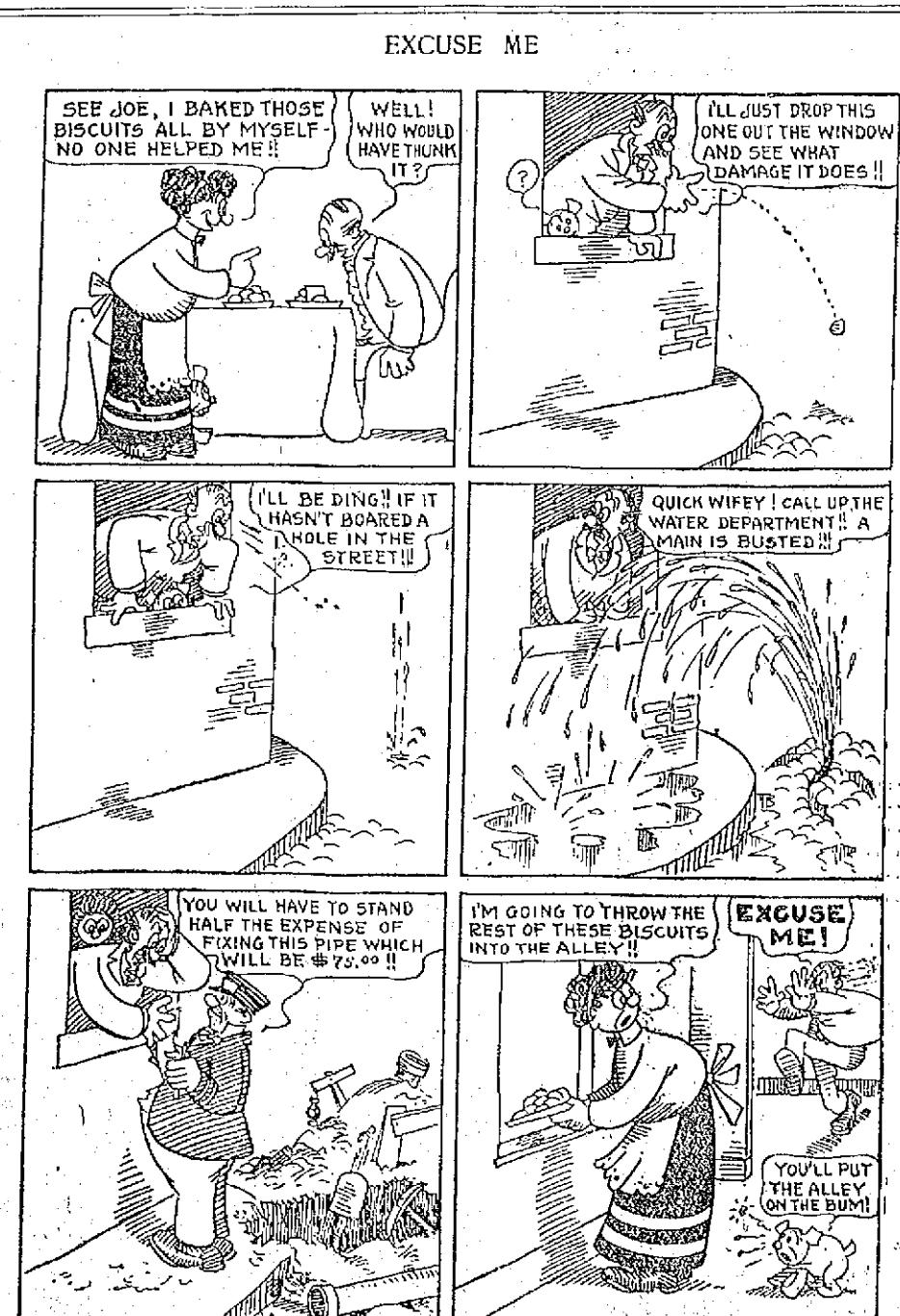
Was Chosen Member of
Committee by Anti-
Tuberculosis League

Rep. Victor F. Jewett has been appointed a member of a committee on local work by the Massachusetts Anti-Tuberculosis league. The other members of the committee are Dr. Waller C. Bailey, of Boston; Dr. John B. Hawes, 26 Boston; Dr. William H. Lothrop, Brookline; Dr. Mark W. Richardson, Boston; Dr. Benjamin Sharp, Brookline, and Dr. George B. Underwood, Gardner.

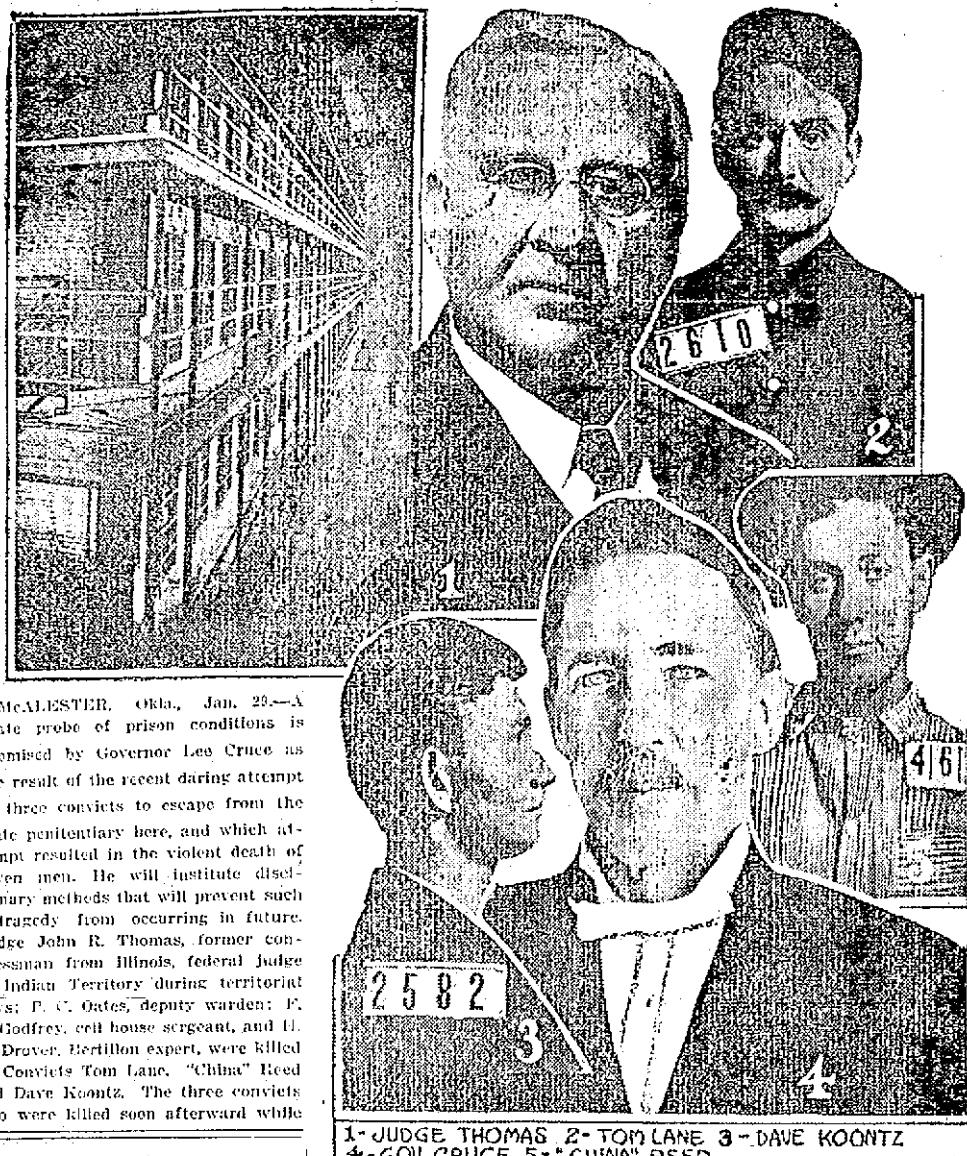
This committee will be referred to matters pertaining to the organization of anti-tuberculosis associations in cities and towns in this state. In a letter addressed to Mr. Jewett the following three reasons are given for the formation of the league.

1—The need of closer co-operation among anti-tuberculosis associations in the state in order to promote better health measures and to have some means by which these same agencies can unite in the common fight.

2—The need of a central organization to keep the anti-tuberculosis work informed of the state tuberculosis policy and of the health measures that are being discussed from time to time.



OKLAHOMA CONVICTS WHO MURDERED JUDGE AND OFFICIALS—GOVERNOR PROMISES STATE PROBE



McALESTER, Okla., Jan. 29.—A state probe of prison conditions is promised by Governor Lee Cruce as the result of the recent daring attempt of three convicts to escape from the state penitentiary here, and which attempt resulted in the violent death of seven men. He will institute disciplinary methods that will prevent such a tragedy from occurring in future. Judge John R. Thomas, former congressman from Illinois, federal judge in Indian Territory during territorial days; P. C. Gates, deputy warden; F. C. Godfrey, cell house sergeant, and H. H. Drayer, herald expert, were killed by Convicts Tom Lane, "China" Reed and Dave Koontz. The three convicts also were killed soon afterward while

A CARD

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on my coat, if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 35c bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

F. H. Butler & Co. Brunell's Pharmacy
F. H. Thomas Davis Square
F. C. Godfrey Drug Store
Falls & Burkhardt A. W. Dow's & Co.
F. C. Godfrey Carter & Sherman
H. H. Drayer Albert E. Moers
Carleton & Hayes Rutherford & Delle
N. Felkes

attempting to escape through the prison farm. The three convicts had obtained a gun and, holding up the turnkey, took the keys, made their way into the offices of the prison and in getting possession of Miss Mary Foster, stenographer, whom they used as a shield from the guards, killed the four men. While attempting to escape in a buggy which they seized the convicts were riddled with rifle bullets by the prison guards. Tom Lane was serving a six-year term for forgery. He had a year and six months to serve. "China" Reed was convicted for horse stealing and entered for the second time on a prison sentence in the Oklahoma prison last December. Dave Koontz was serving a fifty year sentence for bank robbery.

THE D. S. O'BRIEN CO. ANNOUNCES FOR THREE DAYS, STARTING TODAY A CHOICE-OF-THE-HOUSE SALE

OF

Stein-Bloch Overcoats and Fancy Suits

Selling Regularly from \$20.00 to \$25.00, at

\$15

Next week we take inventory—then alterations in our store—a double incentive to clean out our entire stock of Fine Suits and Overcoats. So, you can choose for the next three days from every Stein-Bloch Fancy Suit and Winter Overcoat in stock at \$15.

138 SUITS

Mostly fancies—a few blues—mainly Stein-Bloch's.

77 were.....	\$20.00
2 were.....	\$22.50
52 were.....	\$25.00
2 were.....	\$27.50
5 were.....	\$30.00

Choice of Suits and Overcoats at \$15.00

NOTE—This special offer is open until Saturday night. Every sale must be for cash, and no garment will be sent on memo or reserved unless a deposit is made.

D. S. O'Brien Co.

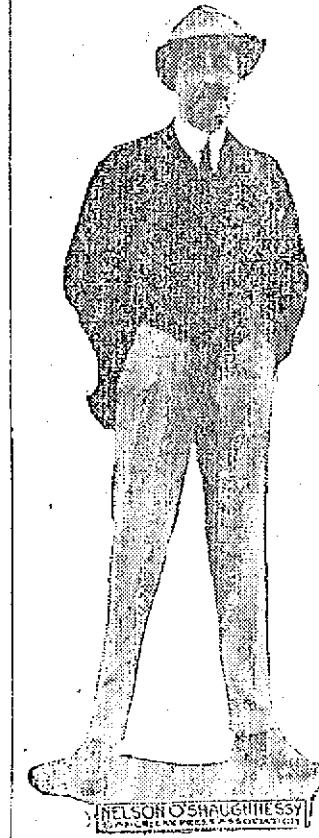
The Smart Clothes Shop

222 MERRIMACK STREET

O'SHAUGHNESSY

Recall for Charge d'affaires at Mexico City is Report.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—It is persistently reported here that Nelson O'Shaughnessy, charge d'affaires at the American embassy at Mexico City, will be recalled owing to his too friendly relations with President



Huerta. O'Shaughnessy and Huerta are seen together in public on frequent occasions, and the Mexican dictator, who is the enemy of the United States, always gets along most amicably with the American representative. The reports that have reached President Wilson regarding the matter are said here to have annoyed him considerably.

CHAPPED SKINS NEED



CUTICURA SOAP

Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment keep the skin clear, soft and beautiful under all conditions of outdoor exposure incidental to winter sports.

Cuticura Soap and Ointment sold throughout the world. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 32-p. book, "Address 'Cuticura,'" Dept. 2461, Dorcas, carried who soars and shampoos with Cuticura Soap until the skin is soft and smooth.

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Leather Goods

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124 MERRIMACK STREET

Repairing, Etc. Telephone 2169

PURE GRAIN ALCOHOL
Pint 45c
Quart 85c

TALBOT'S
CHEMICAL STORE

40 Middle St.

Mexico and Japan. Flood is in frequent conference with President Wilson in regard to Mexican affairs. It is reported in Washington that Flood is in favor of armed intervention by the United States.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Pre-Inventory Clean Up

We are going to take account of stock next week. The less stock we will have to count the better we like it. To accomplish our aim we have marked down our entire new stock at cost of labor.

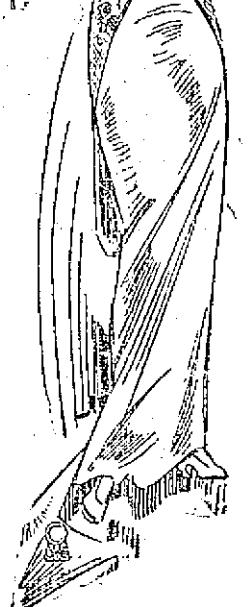
285 Coats

\$12.98 values, in all the different desirable styles and **\$5.00** materials



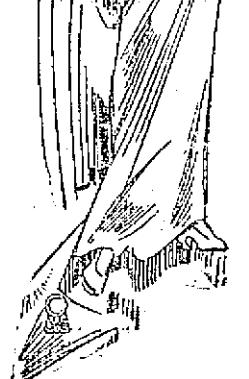
169 Coats

\$15 values, while they last **\$6.98**



\$20 Coats

Velvets, crushed plushes, astrachans, mannikin mixtures, **\$8.50** etc....



85 Coats

\$20 and \$25 values, at cost of **\$10.50** lining

\$25 ARABIAN AND URAL LAMB COATS, full lengths, **\$11.98**

676 Suits

In serges, poplins, mixtures, broadcloths, velvets, brocaded material, etc., at 1-2 of former prices. See orange tickets.

DRESSES

For party, street and evening wear, hundreds to choose from. Two dresses for the price of one. See them.

\$2.00 WAISTS 77c

CORSETS

All the latest models at reduced prices.

\$5.00 PLAID SKIRTS Peg top... \$2.49

\$6.50 RAIN-COATS \$2.98

WE ARE GOING AFTER THE LARGEST 3-DAY COAT AND SUIT BUSINESS OF THIS SEASON

COME AND BRING YOUR FRIENDS

A. L. BRAUS

FORMERLY O'DONNELL'S

HENRY D. FLOOD BOARD OF TRADE

Virginian Congressman a Power in the Mexican Situation

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Henry D. Flood, congressman from Virginia, is chairman of the house committee on foreign affairs and as such has great influence in determining the United States government's policy toward

increase the committee to a much larger number and also to provide a special committee to attach to one of the trains to Boston. Every scrap of information will be collected concerning the advantages of making the Merrimack river navigable from Lowell to the sea, and the Lawrence and Haverhill people will be urged to join the movement.

Friends in this city of Mrs. Louisa Jones, formerly Miss Elizabeth Sharpe, a graduate nurse of the Lowell General hospital are in receipt of a despatch bringing forth the sad news that Mrs. Jones and her husband were drowned in the flood from the mountain at Santa Barbara, Cal. Tuesday. Their three children, however, were saved.

"DOCTOR'S DAUGHTER"

STOMACH-RITE TABLETS

THE STOMACH AND LIVER REMEDY FOR YOU TO BUY AFTER YOU HAVE TRIED EVERYTHING ELSE

Buy a Box Today and Just One Tablet Will Convince You!

Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Gas, Bloating, Heart-pressure, Numbness, Dizzy Head, Intestinal Indigestion, Catarrah of Stomach and Bowels, Inactive Liver, Constipation and Biliousness.

ACTUAL PROOF AND RESULTS!!!

Given Up by Two Doctors But Found a Cure

Dear Doctor's Daughter:

I want to tell you how much I think of your Stomach-Rite and what it has done for me. I had nervous Indigestion in bad form for two years. I was extremely sick for five months in bed, and practically given up by two doctors. Then I began taking your Stomach-Rite tablets and found a cure. They are the most wonderful medicine on earth. Truly yours,

MRS. C. J. BOWEN, 228 Hemenway St., Back Bay Fens, Boston, Mass.

WARNING—The people who have been CURED of their Stomach and Liver Troubles are persons who Purchased STOMACH-RITE when they asked for STOMACH-RITE and Not a disappointing substitute of mere money-making qualities recommended by the wily clerk. Slogan—Refuse Substitutes.

FOR SALE BY RELIABLE DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

SCENES IN CAMP AT FORT BLISS WHERE MEXICAN REFUGEES ARE SAFE



FEDERAL SOLDIERS 2 WOMEN PREPARING FOOD FOR MEXICAN REFUGEES

FORT BLISS, Tex., Jan. 29.—The Mexican refugees here have already cost the United States \$125,000, and a claim for the amount will be filed against the Mexican government. The condition of the fugitives is pitiable.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

THE OPERA HOUSE

The feature offering at the Opera House today is the Warner masterpiece, "Through the Fires of Temptation," with Miss Gene Gauntier in the leading role. Surpassingly beautiful, and perfectly sympathetic as anything that Miss Gauntier has ever done, this young Warner actress will find new laurels to Miss Gauntier's fame as a finished actress of the silent drama. So well portrayed, so convincingly real

are the characters that move through the story, that the observer will realize that he is seeing one of those everyday tragedies of life, which after all make the best dramas, for truth is stranger than fiction. Another feature of special mention is the two reel Kalem drama of the west called "Indian Blood."

NEIL O'BRIEN'S MINSTRELS

Neil O'Brien and his "Great American Minstrels," under the efficient minstrel management of Oscar F. Hodge, with everything brand new this season, from

Before Stocktaking SALE

ALL THIS WEEK

Trimmed Hats \$1.49, \$1.98, \$2.98
Untrimmed Shapes—your choice of velvets and
plush 98c Each

Felts and Velours 49c Each

All Winter Millinery must go to make room for
Spring goods.

HEAD & SHAW, The Milliners
35 JOHN STREET

A Great
Opportunity
For You!

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SUNDAY'S

BOSTON GLOBE

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Gyarcol
Contains No Alcohol
GUARANTEED FOR
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No matter what else you have taken, no matter how long you have suffered, no matter what your condition or how discouraged you are, be sure to send for this free package of GYARCOL. It has done wonders for thousands of sufferers from rheumatism. Just send us your FREE PACKAGE what it will do for you. Don't send any money—it's HONESTLY FREE. Just send your name and address and we will send the FREE PACKAGE. Write today. Address: The Gyarcol Company, Dept. K, Lowell, Mass.

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 29.—President Huerta has been criticised for not sending re-enforcements to the federal



CHILDREN'S WHITE LINGERIE DRESSES

Soiled—not one sold less than \$2, some \$4. Choice 90c

CHILDREN'S COATS

by express from the manufacturer today—
\$2.90, \$3.90, and \$4.90

Two months yet of cold weather. We had the styles early at

CHILDREN'S SERGE DRESSES

25 dresses, selling to
\$5.00, at, choice \$1.90

SKIRTS

800 skirts to be sold

\$1.40, \$1.90
\$2.90, \$3.90

All wool serges, plaids and
mixtures. \$6.00 and \$7.00
skirts.

FURS and FUR COATS

Final prices: lowest in our
history. If you want a fine fur
cheap, come quick.
25 Muffs, \$5.00
values \$2.00

Machine Made Dresses

Second floor given over to demonstration and sale.

OUR FINAL CLEARANCE SALE

ON ALL WINTER GARMENTS STARTED TODAY

From the heavy selling our lines are broken; not all sizes or colors; the high grade cloths too expensive to obtain more. No more waiting; we will close them out at a heavy loss. No profits thought of. What price will sell them at sight—so here goes—

800 COATS and 569 SUITS LEFT—There will be a good choice—

Final prices \$5.90, \$8.90, \$10.90, \$12.90

You will find some immense bargains at these prices. The values have never been duplicated in Lowell or elsewhere.

**SUITS ARE!
FINAL PRICES... 8.90, 12.90, 14.90**

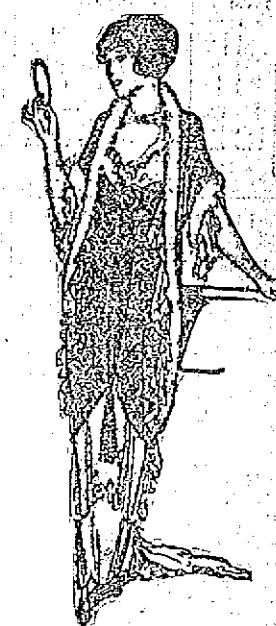
The Early Pickings Are Always Best.

896 Fine High Grade Dresses and Costumes

When we take stock, cash only, counts. Every dress will be closed out. Every woman must have a dress for party or evening wear.

\$5.90, \$8.90, \$12.90

For dresses in chiffon, serge, velvet, messaline. Sold from \$12 to \$30. A good chance to obtain your dress for the Elks' ball.



SILK PETTICOATS

All petticoats selling to \$3 and
\$4, at, choice \$1.95

COTTON CHARMOUSE PETTICOATS

Kelly and cerise, \$1.50 value
..... 95c

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12-18 JOHN STREET

first part to final curtain will be the
in the London music halls the past several months has established him as an
international humorist. Eddie Mazier, who was particularly popular with last
year's company, will be seen his customary end of the semi-circle. Pete
Dietzel, another big favorite, Major
Nowak, George Faust, and, of course, the star, Neil O'Brien, comprise a list
of comedians hard to excel. The list of
soloists is a formidable one, comprising
a dozen singers of note, prominent
among whom are Ward Burton, the
yodeller; James Barad, tenor; Al Fontaine, basso; Leslie Berry, baritone;
Walter Lindsey, tenor; George Hayes, the youthful contra-tenor, who created
a big sensation with the company last

year, and a large chorus. The special
orchestra of 14 selected musicians will
again be under the direction of
Frank Fuhrer.

For the special features of the show,
Mr. O'Brien has written two new acts,
the one for himself entitled "Dances
Post," and the other called "Who's
Boss" or "Taming the Militant," intro-

duced Eddie Mazier and Major Nowak
in the principal characters.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

Don't miss the most famous midwest
comedian of the stage today, Little
Billy, who is appearing in his own
collection of songs, dances and recitations
at the B. F. Keith Theatre. This
week, Little Billy is remembered here
having appeared with various stock
companies in the past. His latest venture
into vaudeville has, however, proven quite the best thing he has ever
done. His dancing is as polished as
that of any comedian on the stage, and his
inimitable manner will make him an
instant favorite. Ward and Curran
will be on forged worries. It's one
of the funniest skits ever put together.
Frankie Carpenter and Fred Grady in
a new comedy sketch called "The
Grouch" have something which is a bit
different from the usual line of comedy.
Mr. Grady's assumption on the title
part is good, and Miss Carpenter is as
sprightly as ever. Other good points to
the bill are: Dugan & Raymond in
songs and dances; Jimmie Lucas, parodist;
Flood and Erna, versatile young
women; Bartholdi's cockatoos, and the
Pathé Weekly pictures. Good seats for
the remaining performances of the
week may be obtained at the box office.
Phone 28.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

There isn't any doubt but what local
theatregoers love good moving pictures.
That is the majority of those
who attend the theatre. And it's equally
certain that there isn't any one of them
adverse to a little good and the
other. So the management of the
Merrimack Square theatre, now that
the stock company is gone away, has
had a happy plan of combining
the two and offering both at an admission
so small that the theatre
ways he packed. For the coming week
The Exposition Four, Eddie B. Raymond,
Ellen Tate, The Flying Horse,
Musical Leslies and "Roundy" Roane
are slated. The Merrimack attractions
and then they will be by a series
of the latest photo-plays. Not the
ordinary kind, but a special feature,
and three other reels of extraordinary
meritorious subjects. The price will
be ten cents, with reserved seats at
five cents extra. There will be two
bills a week. One on Monday.
Another complete new show opening
Thursday. And of course the usual
Sunday concert. Last five performances
of the stock company starting
tonight. "Good-by" night Saturday.

THE OWL THEATRE

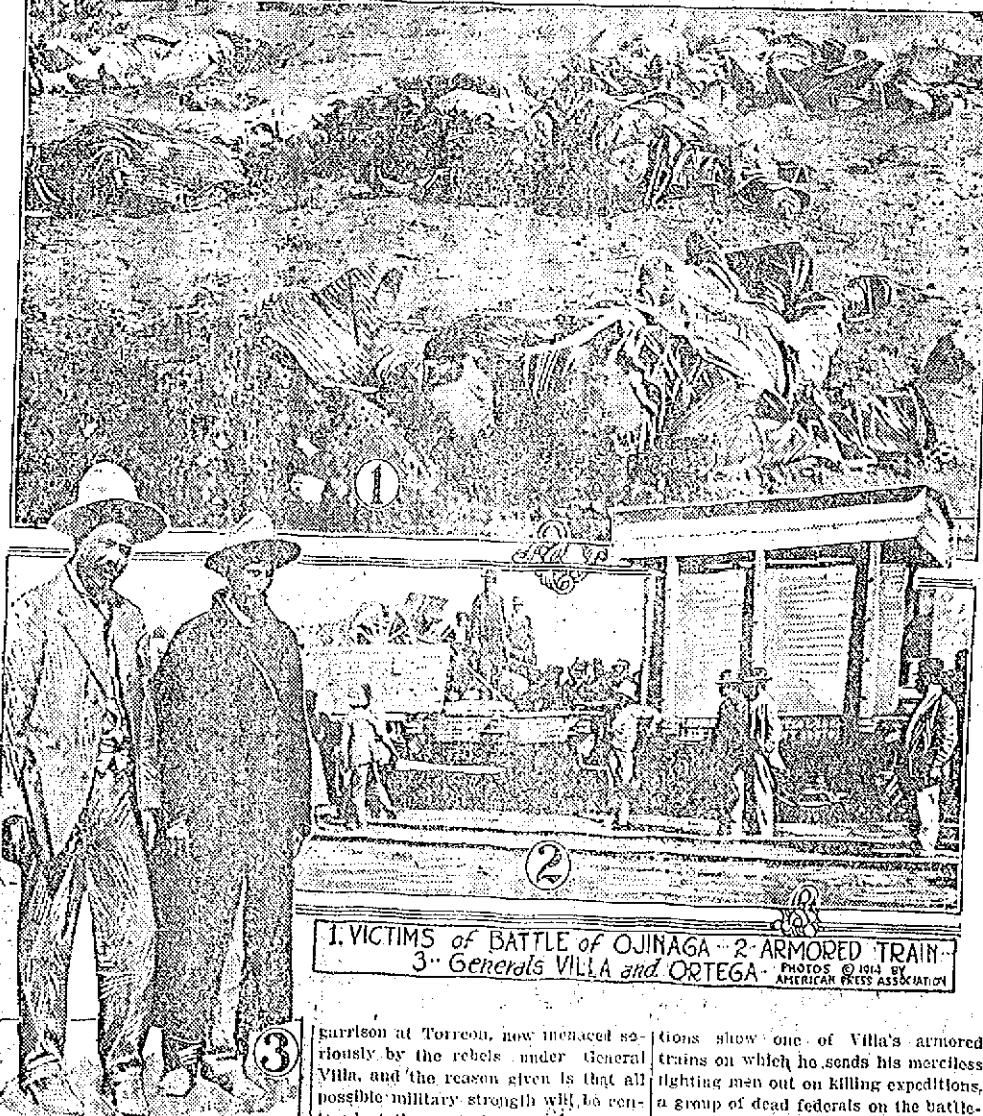
Charles, the last chance to see
"The Third Degree" in the arts, as played by the
Lubin company of the Owl Theatre. This
great photo-drama made a big hit and
packed houses resulted at each per-
formance yesterday. Five other big
titles were shown. The performance is
of the order that is rarely seen.

OLD-TIME COLD
CURE—DRINK TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg
Breast Tea, or as the German folks
call it, "Hamburg Brust Thee," at any
pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of
the tea, put a cup of boiling water up
on it, pour through a sieve and drink
a teacup full at any time. It is the
most effective way to break a cold and
cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieves
congestion. Also loosens the bow-
els, thus breaking a cold at once.
It is inexpensive and entirely vegeta-
ble, therefore harmless.

LATEST PHOTOS FROM WAR TORN MEXICO;

ARMORED TRAIN, DEAD FEDERALS AND TWO LEADERS



1. VICTIMS OF BATTLE OF OJINAGA 2. ARMORED TRAIN
3. Generals VILLA and ORTEGA

garrison at Torreon, now encircled so
closely by the rebels under General
Villa, and the reason given is that all
possible military strength will be con-
centrated at the capital to protect it in a
last stand against the attacking forces
that will eventually enter in this
section of the blood stained republic if
rebel victories continue. The illustra-

tions show one of Villa's armored
trains on which he sends his merciless
fighting men out on killing expeditions,
a group of dead federals on the battle-
field after the capture of Ojinaga by
Villa and the latest photo of Villa, who
is standing with General Ortega. Villa
is at the left and Ortega is at the
right.

Probably rain or snow to-night; Friday clearing with falling temperatures.

ESTABLISHED 1878

LOWELL MASS. THURSDAY JANUARY 29 1914

PRICE ONE CENT

VANNAH GUILTY

Francis A. Vannah, Civil War Veteran, Convicted of the Murder of Edward E. Hardy by the Jury at Augusta, Me.

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 29.—Francis A. Vannah was convicted of the murder of Edward E. Hardy in the superior court this afternoon.

The deliberations of the jury occupied a little less than two hours.

Vannah, who is a Civil War veteran, past 20 years, of age, and previous to entering the National soldiers' home at Togus lived in Nobleboro, was convicted of having fatally shot Edward E. Hardy, a soldier in the Spanish-American war, in Hardy's camp on

Togus stream, near the National home, on the night of March 20 last. Two bullets from a revolver resulted in the death of Hardy, and three others, alleged to have been fired by Vannah, nearly caused the death of Mrs. Hardy.

The larceny of nearly \$50 worth of whiskey, which Vannah was said to have intended for sale to the veterans at the home and was kept in Vannah's camp, was the cause of the shooting, Vannah believing it had been stolen by Hardy, the state claimed.

ESTIMATES ARE READY

For City Council—Departments Want More Money Than Last Year—Ald. Morse Talks.

All of the departments at city hall will have their estimates ready for the municipal council on Saturday, and in all probability the council will proceed to consider them. The council will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the purpose of conferring with representatives and senators from this district relative to legislation applicable to this city and to discuss the proposition to borrow beyond the debt limit. When the proposition to borrow beyond the debt limit was broached by the government for 1912 it met with opposition in the legislature at the hands of Reps. Jewett and Achin, but it is understood that these gentlemen have since changed their minds.

The Appropriation Problem

It is an open secret at city hall that heads of departments, including the commissioners themselves and including the mayor, rather dread the day when the estimates will stare them in the face. It is a case of beware of the day when they will meet each other in battle array.

Some of the estimates are already in. Commissioner Donnelly has completed his estimates for the year. He will ask for \$65,000.00 and that amount is apart from the cemeteries which are taken care of by their respective commissioners. The sum allowed the department of public property and licenses last year was \$78,110. This was the appropriation allowed at the beginning of the year.

When the council gets down to business it must not lose sight of the new law. The commissioners and the mayor must bear in mind that they cannot borrow for departmental or current expenses and that the appropriations allowed at the first of the year will have to suffice. There is no going back to the table for another little "snack." In view of this fact it will be necessary for the council to agree in the beginning upon the amounts for the year and as most of the departments will ask for more than last year, there's a bare possibility that the council may have some stormy sessions, though it was hinted today that the solid majority, "the big three," were in favor of thrashing the annual budget out behind closed doors. Commissioner Brown will insist that the appropriations be handled in the open.

THE STREET DEPARTMENT
Commissioner Charlie Morse is busy on his estimate. He was not in a position this morning to state the amount that he would ask for, but from what Charlie said he is not going to be too modest.

"The streets" said Charlie, "were never in worse condition than at the present time and it will take a whole lot of money to put them in shape. There are only a few streets in the city where a team or an automobile can make anything like good time. The block paved streets are the only ones that are in what you would call good shape. If you don't believe it just ask the fire chief and his assistants. They know what the streets are like because they have to go all over the city. The spring on one of their automobiles broke on one of the several thousand bad places the other day and I understand that the axle of another machine snapped in Westford street, and I want to tell you that Westford street is a holy fright. I cannot say now just how much I will ask to carry on the street department, this year, but I will submit my figures and then it will be up to the municipal council."

Buildings Department
The amounts allowed the department of lands and buildings last year were as follows: Public property, \$21,000; schoolhouse department, \$21,000; fire range, \$1000; moth and insect extermination, \$8500; messenger's department, \$18,000; weighers' department,

\$500,000 FIRE

IN MANCHESTER

Merchants' Exchange Building, the Most Important Commercial Block in Manchester, Destroyed by Fire—Business Paralyzed by Closing of Electric Power and Lighting Plant—Spread of Flames Checked by the Amoskeag Bank Building

north part of the fourth floor, in the Folsom store and spread so quickly that when the firemen reached the scene the building was ablaze from basement to roof.

Help from Concord and Derry

Help was summoned from Concord and Derry but the fire was under control before the apparatus arrived from these places.

The spread of the flames to other property was checked by the new tenement building, which stood as an effective barrier on the north of the Merchants' Exchange building. From the upper floors of the bank building the firemen were able to pour a deluge of water on the burning structure beneath.

Nearly all the windows on the south side of the new building were shattered by the heat.

The injured firemen—William Fitzpatrick and Charles Skinner, were struck but not seriously hurt by bricks

The flames were first seen on the

The Merchants' Exchange building was a four story brick structure and was owned by a syndicate of real estate men.

\$24,000 LOSS BY FIRE

Two Wooden Blocks at Caribou, Me., Destroyed—Overheated Stove Started Fire

CARIBOU, Me., Jan. 29.—Two wooden blocks, valued with their contents at \$24,000 and owned by M. E. O'Regan were destroyed by fire today. Other buildings in the business section were threatened. An overheated stove in the millinery store of Miss Evelyn A. Smith was supposed to have started the fire. Mr. O'Regan estimated the loss on his buildings at \$20,000. The other losses were estimated as follows: \$1000 on Miss Smith's stock; \$1000 on the jewelry store of Byron O. Noyes; and \$1000 on the bookstores of A. V. Gould. All had some insurance.

Frederick Fanning Ayer, who has so generously endowed the Lowell General Hospital from time to time, objects to the erection of an isolation hospital on the land offered the city by Mrs. Dexter a few days ago. The land in question is known as the Ward Land and is situated in the rear of the Lowell General hospital.

The trustees of the Lowell General Hospital have not yet made any official statement relative to Mr. Ayer's objections, but will probably do so tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Ayer objects emphatically to the location of an isolation hospital on that land because of its proximity to the Lowell General Hospital, and in view of the fact that he has done so much for that hospital, his objections cannot be very overlooked.

It was stated today that a committee of the trustees of the Lowell General Hospital would appear before the municipal council at its meeting on Saturday and enter a protest against the acceptance of the Ward Land.

It is understood that if the tuberculosis hospital were located on the Ward Land, the Lowell General would be confounded with the other institution to the detriment of the former.

Mr. Ayer having put about three-quarters of a million dollars into the Lowell General Hospital, it is but natural that he is very solicitous for

its welfare and that he does not wish it to be converted into an ordinary institution conducted by the city. It is not the danger of infection that Mr. Ayer fears for in all probability, he does not believe that there is any danger from this source. Indeed Dr. R. E. Baldwin of Saranac Lake, one of the world's greatest specialists on tuberculosis, comes out with a statement that the danger of infection in tuberculosis cases is almost a negligible quantity. The statement is approvingly commented upon by the Journal of the American Medical Association.

This fact may serve to relieve some people of the scare caused by the location of a tuberculosis hospital in the same district in which they reside.

It is not this, however, that causes F. F. Ayer to object to the location of an isolation hospital near the Lowell General Hospital, and in view of the fact that he has done so much for that hospital, his objections cannot be very overlooked.

It was stated today that a committee of the trustees of the Lowell General Hospital would appear before the municipal council at its meeting on Saturday and enter a protest against the acceptance of the Ward Land.

Dr. Stowell happened to be in New York when the news of the offer to the city reached Mr. Ayer. The latter instructed him to call a meeting of the trustees and present to the full board his views in opposition to the proposal.

Dr. Stowell will meet the board of trustees at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and the trustees will probably take some action in the matter.

STRIKE CLOSES FACTORY

350 EMPLOYEES OF LYNN SHOE FACTORY ARE IDLE AS RESULT OF LABOR TROUBLE

LYNN, Jan. 29.—Rivalry between two labor organizations resulted in the closing today of the shoe factory of J. J. Grover's Sons, employing 350 hands, after a strike of 150 men affiliated with the United Shoe Workers union had been ordered by officials of that organization.

The trouble at the Grover factory originated over negotiations for the introduction of the stamp of the Boot & Shoe Workers union at the company's

factory at Stoneham, where several members of the United Shoe Workers union were employed.

Negotiations had been pending four months when the United Shoe Workers struck at the local factory today. Efforts were made to keep the contest between the two organizations from extending to other shoe factories here.

MISS HALSTEAD HONORED

YOUNG LADY PRESENTED BRACELET AT MERRY GATHERING LAST NIGHT

Miss Grace Halstead was pleasantly surprised last evening when a large number of her young friends gathered at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Halstead, in honor of the young lady's birthday. Games were played, refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent.

During the evening Miss Halstead was presented a beautiful gold bracelet, the presentation speech being made by Walter McDermott, who in fitting words told her of the esteem in which she is held by the members of the gathering and in behalf of all present wished her many happy returns of the day.

The young lady although taken wholly by surprise responded and stated that she would always keep the gift as a remembrance of the assembly. At a late hour the party broke up, all thanking the following for the evening's enjoyment: Misses Isabel Walk, Dot Leach and Bertha Halstead.

CAHID OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown to us during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother John, especially the sisters of St. Patrick's home and employees of the Bay State street railway. They will all be held in loving remembrance.

(Signed)
Daniel O'Connor and family.

\$5.00 for 36 bushels (full measure)

\$2.75 for 18 bushels (full measure)

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18 SHATTUCK ST. SOUTHERN DIVISION

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Lowell, Thursday, Jan. 29, 1914.

A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store for Thrifty People

This is the only store-wide bargain movement of the year—the only time that all departments work together at a special sale. At this final clearance before inventory every one of our 30 odd departments has a chance to dispose of the goods they do not wish to take in stock with no restrictions as to cost or profit. Our previous "Look Here" sales have proven a boon to Lowell's shoppers. For three days three items from each department will be emphasized by the "Look Here" signs. The index signs in the hanging frames point to the bargains offered.

BLACK DRESS GOODS

Fine French Wool Poplin, 56 inch width. Regular price \$1.50 yard. Special for this sale.....	Only 75c Yard
56 inch All Wool Suiting, Serge, \$1.25 quality. Special price.....	Only 88c Yard
Priestley's Tussali Royal, a mohair and worsted fabric. Regular price \$1.39 yard. Special price.....	Only 98c Yard
Fine German Batiste, beautiful black, \$1.50 quality. Special price.....	Only \$1.15

COLORED DRESS GOODS

1200 Yards of All Wool Dress Goods to be sold at this sale. \$1.00 and \$1.50 qualities at the low price of.....	50c Yard
Our Entire Line of Remnants of 50c and 59c Dress Goods; batiste, sorges, pencil stripe suiting, all colors and black. Sale price, Only 29c Yard	
1200 Yards Fine Printed Chaffies to be closed out at once. We have made the price an object for you to come to this sale. These are remnants and are matched up in waist and dress patterns. Regular price 50c. Special clean up sale.....	Only 15c Yard
Palmer Street	Right Aisle

WASH AND WHITE DRESS GOODS**LOOK HERE SALE**

On the Bargain Counter—Palmer Street, Centre Aisle, at 5c Yard—About 2500 yards odds and ends of the season, comprising percales, dainties, batistes, mercerized novelties, serpentine crepes, corduroys, etc. Regular price from 12 1-2c to 17c.	
On the Tables—Palmer Street, Centre Aisle, at.....	7c Yard
About 10,000 yards of the following materials—Best quality outtings, extra fine voiles, batistes, pongees, crepes, etc. Regular price from 12 1-2c to 25c.	
On the Gingham Counter—Palmer Street, Right Aisle, at 12 1-2c Yard	
About 1500 yards of up-to-date materials, limited assortment Anderson gingham (plain and fancy), pavilla cottons (short ends), novelty suittings, 40 in. printed, plain and fancy voiles, colored corduroys, silk and cotton goods, etc. Regular prices from 19c to 39c.	

SILKS

About 100 Yards White Taffeta Silk, remnants. Regular price 75c.	Only 19c Yard
About 200 Yards Black India Silk, remnants. Regular price 59c.	Only 19c Yard
About 100 Yards Damaged Velvet Remnants, colors. Regular price \$1.00.	Only 19c Yard
Palmer Street	Right Aisle

TRUNKS AND BAGS

20 Trunks, 34 inch size, fine brass trimmed, heavy cleats, two centre bands, iron bottoms, Excelsior style locks. Regular price \$6.50.	Only 3.98 Each
2 Fitted Suit Cases, 24 inch size (only two). Were \$10.00.	Only 5.00 Each
12 Fine Men's Bags, sizes 17 to 20 inches. Were \$15 to \$20.	Only \$12.50 Each
Palmer Street	Near Avenue Door

LINENS

30 Dozen Knit Face Cloths, subject to manufacturer's slight imperfections, made to sell for 5c to 10c each. Look here price.	
2c Each, 3 for 5c	
600 Yards All Pure Linen Crash, 17 inches wide, in red borders only. Regular price 12 1-2c. Look here price.....	9c Yard
30 Pattern Cloths, Irish make, size 68x86 inches, warranted all pure linen, only four designs. Regular price \$2.50. Look here price.....	Only \$1.50
Palmer Street	Left Aisle

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

Damaged Sheets, Three for One Dollar (3 for \$1.00). This means an accumulation of sheets made of good cotton, by a little mending will wear as well as perfect ones, good lengths and widths up to 72 inches. Final clearance.....	3 for \$1.00
Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts, made from heavy flannel, neat patterns, with or without collar. Regular price 75c and \$1.00.....	Only 59c
Men's Outing Flannel and Donet Pajamas, heavy flannel, good patterns, our best make and salesmen's samples. Value \$1.50.....	Only 98c
Boys' Gauntlet Gloves—Boys' Gauntlet Gloves lined and unlined, salesmen's samples, at one half the regular prices. Regular price 50c and \$1.00.....	Only 25c and 50c
Men's Wool and Worsted Gloves, medium and heavy weight, black, oxford and fancies. Regular prices 50c and 75c.....	Only 33c
Palmer Street	East Section

LININGS

7 Pieces Striped Linings, satin finish, in grays and browns. Regular price 39c.....	Only 25c Yard
10 Pieces Lining Linens, all colors, 40 inches wide. Regular price 12 1-2c.....	Only 8c Yard
14 Pieces Cotton Moresco, all colors, 27 inches wide. Regular price 35c.....	Only 21c Yard
Palmer Street	Right Aisle

LADIES' GLOVES

Ladies' 16 Button White Kid Gloves, reach over elbow. Regular \$3.00 glove. Special for three days.....	\$1.89 Pair
Ladies' 2 Clasp Novelty Kid Gloves in tan, with colored stitching. Regular \$1.50 and \$2.00. Special price.....	79c Pair
Children's Woolen Gloves in all colors and sizes. Regular 25c and 50c. Sale price.....	19c Pair
Palmer Street	North Aisle

ART AND FANCY WORK

Pillow Covers. Regular 25c and 50c, at 10c Yarns, all kinds, odd shades.....	3c Skein
Royal Art Packings. Regular price 25c to \$1.50 at ONE HALF PRICE.	
Palmer Street	East Section Centre Aisle

50 COATS AT \$5.00 EACH

Regular Prices \$15.00 and \$16.50	
One reel of misses' and ladies' winter coats, all perfect, mixtures and chinchillas.	
\$3.95 SWEATERS	98c
Small lot of odd sample sweaters, slightly soiled.	

CORSETS

Hedfern Corsets. Regular price \$5.00. For this sale.....	\$1.98
W. B. and R. & G. Regular price \$3.00.	Only \$1.39
Brassieres. 50c quality.....	Only 25c
West Section	Right Aisle

INFANTS' WEAR

Children's All Wool Sweaters, in gray, red and tan, button high at neck, ages 2 to 4 years. Regular price \$1.50. Sale price Only 50c	
Children's Quilted Coat Linings, in white only, ages 2 to 4 years. Regular \$1.50. Sale price Only 50c	
Children's Eiderdown Bath Robes in red, pink and blue, satin trimmings, ages 2 to 4 years. Regular price \$1.60. Sale price Only 75c	
West Section	Bridge

LADIES' SHOES—Street Floor

AT 50c PAIR—Ladies' Boots and Oxfords, discontinued styles and small sizes. Regular price \$2.50 and \$3.50.	
AT \$3.75 PAIR—Ladies' Tan Calf Skating and Walking Boots, button or lace. Regular price \$4.50 and \$5.00.	
AT 59c PAIR—Ladies' Crochet Slippers, all colors. Regular price \$1.00.	Right Aisle

SMALL WARES

Holtite Dress Shields. Regular price 25c. Sale.....	Only 14c
Clinton Safety Pins, all sizes, Only 5c Card	
Assorted Packages Tape. Regular price 10c. Sale, Only 5c	
West Section	Left Aisle
Palmer St.	Centre Aisle

UMBRELLAS

1 Lot of Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas, black, assorted handles. Regular value \$1.00. Special for three days.....	Only 50c
East Section	North Aisle

**Look
Here**

STATIONERY

Ruled Stationery, white. Regular price 10c box. Specially priced.....	2 Boxes for 5c

FOR LATE LOCAL AND TELEGRAPH
NEWS SEE LATER EDITIONS

From Yesterday's Late Editions

FOR REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING
STOCK MARKET SEE LATER EDITIONSAGENT H. E. WADELY
OF THE CARPET TALKS

The Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Company of Yonkers, N. Y., one of the largest manufacturing plants of its kind in the country, recently announced a reduction of ten per cent. in wages, and when this was called to the attention of Agent Harold E. Wadeley of the local plant of the Bigelow Carpet Co., he gave out an interesting statement to the effect that conditions could be made better through greater efficiency in eliminating unnecessary loss of time and waste of material.

The following item relative to the Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Co. reduction appeared in a recent issue of the New York Times:

The Alexander Smith & Sons Carpet Company of Yonkers, which in the past three years has distributed \$342,000 among its older employees under a profit-sharing plan, announced yesterday that beginning Feb. 7, wages would be reduced 10 per cent. There are 7,000 employees. They found this notice in their pay envelopes yesterday: "Owing to general conditions there will be deducted 10 per cent from our wages beginning Feb. 7th until further notice."

The reduction will amount to be-

tween \$8,000 and \$9,000 weekly, as the payroll aggregates from \$80,000 to \$90,000. One of the principal owners is Alexander Smith Cochran, who was delegate to the republican national convention in 1912, and was talked of for congress this year.

There was talk last night of appealing to the Washington authorities for investigation. Each spring, and fall for the past three years the company has given ten-year employees 10 per cent of their earnings for the preceding six months, and 5 per cent to the five-year employees for the same period. The employees are wondering if this benefit is no longer to be given.

Mr. Wadeley of the Bigelow Carpet Co., when seen by a reporter of The Sun this morning, relative to conditions in his mill, gave out the following statement:

"I should be very sorry to see any-

thing of this kind in Lowell."

"There is no doubt, under changed

conditions, that all manufacturers will

have to make every effort to carry on

their business in the most economical

method possible. I should prefer

to see economies effected through

greater efficiency, say for instance,

such methods as eliminating unneces-

sary loss of time and waste of material,

which might be prevented by a little

care. If these points can be generally

understood, appreciated, and acted upon, it would no doubt, go a long way

to offset the changed conditions under

which we are now manufacturing."

POLICE FOIL SUFFRAGETTES

Militants Who Attempted to Break
Up Cabinet Meeting Driven to
Jail in Their Own Auto

LONDON, Jan. 28.—Militant suffragettes today made a bold attempt to break into a meeting of the British cabinet council sitting at the official residence of Premier Asquith in Downing street.

An automobile belonging to the Women's Social and Political union, the militant suffragettes organization, with a woman driver at the wheel and filled with suffragettes, dashed from Whitehall into Downing street before the line of police could bring it to a halt.

When the driver refused to obey the order of the police inspector on duty to retire from the street, the entire party of women were placed under arrest and taken across Whitehall, still in their car, to police headquarters at Scotland Yard.

The automobile was decorated with placards protesting against the forcible

feeding of suffragette prisoners and demanding that the cabinet cease the "torture of women in English jails."

The unexpected raid caused great excitement and a large crowd soon gathered about Downing street.

The women were later arraigned at Bow street, where three of them refused to give their names and were entered in the charge book under numbers. The other one, who had acted as driver, said she was Miss Virtue, and was the private secretary of "General" Mrs. Flora Drummond. Miss Virtue is said to be engaged to marry a Montana rancher as soon as women have secured the vote in Great Britain.

Each of the suffragettes made a short speech in court about the ill treatment of women in jail.

All the prisoners were bound over to be of good behavior for six months.

Telegraphic Brevities

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Arrived str. Olympia from Southampton.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—No hearings on the administration's trust bills are expected before the senate inter-state commerce committee.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Arrived str. Kroonland, from Antwerp, Tasmania, Genoa.

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 28.—Prominent members of the Hampden county bar express the opinion that John H. Mack of North Adams will be Governor Wilson's choice to succeed Christopher T. Callahan as district attorney.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Sixteen of 16 general arbitration treaties with foreign nations were considered today by the senate foreign relations committee without action and will be again discussed tomorrow.

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 28.—F. W. Jones, a wealthy retired New York business man, died at his home, Woodbury, of heart failure at the age of 71 years.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 28.—The "Jim Crow" law of Oklahoma was upheld by the United States circuit court of appeals in a decision handed down here this afternoon.

HEDDESDORF, Me., Jan. 28.—Edmund H. Blake, agent of the Seaco and Lowell Machine shops, has been appointed superintendent of the plant of the same company at Lowell, Mass. He was announced this afternoon.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 28.—Officials of the Brooklyn baseball club announced this afternoon that Pitcher Ed Reinhardt had signed a one year's contract with the Superbas.

BUFFALO, Jan. 28.—Recommendation that the city of Niagara Falls be guaranteed against the world because of the failure of its health officials to live up to the Buffalo health department's recommendation in the care of its alleged smallpox epidemic was made this afternoon to considering several bills for that purpose.

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—The Enfield Wood Mfg. Co. with a factory at Enfield filed a petition in bankruptcy last evening. The schedule shows liabilities of \$52,000. The assets are uncertain. D. B. C. G. the treasurer, with a claim of

Stock Market Closing Prices, Jan. 28th

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	74 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2
Am Beet Sugar	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Am Can	21 1/2	22 1/2	24
Am Can pfd	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Am Car & Fn	50	49 1/2	50
Am Car & Fn pfd	115	115	115
Am Cot Oil	43	42 1/2	42 1/2
Am Locomo	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Am Smelt & R.	70	69	70
Am Smelt & R. pfd	104 1/2	104	104
Am Sugar Rfn	108	107 1/2	107 1/2
Amacunda	37 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Atchison	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Atch pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Balt. & Ohio	95 1/2	95	95
Ba Tap Tran	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Canadian Pa	212 1/2	211 1/2	211 1/2
C. I. Pipe pf	47	47	47
Cent Leather	26 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Cent Leather pf	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Che & Gt W.	67	65 1/2	65 1/2
Col. Fuel	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Consol Gas	134	134	136 1/2
Col. & Hud	169 1/2	168	168
Den & R. G. pf	30	30	30
Dea Secur Co	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Erle 1st pf	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Erle 2d pf	39	39	39
Gen Elec	147 1/2	147	147
Gt North pf	123 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
Gt N. Orie pf	38 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Hinlins Cen	114 1/2	114	114
Int. Met Com	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Int. Met pf	62	61 1/2	61 1/2
Int. Paper	8 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Int. Pump Co.	9	9	9
I. S. Pump pf	26 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Kan City So	27	26 1/2	27
K. C. So. pf	62	61 1/2	61 1/2
Kan & Texas	22 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Kan & T pf	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Leligh Valley	155	151 1/2	154 1/2
Louis & Nash	132	139	139
Mexican Cent	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Missouri Pa	29 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
N. Y. Air Brake	63	63	63
N. Y. Central	65 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2
N. Y. & West	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
North Pacific	116 1/2	115	115
Oil & West	30	30	30
Pennsylvania	118	118 1/2	118 1/2
Penn's Gas	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Pressed Steel	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Pullman Co.	169	154 1/2	154 1/2
Ry. St. Lp Co	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Reading	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Rep. Iron & S.	26 1/2	23	23
Rep. I. & St. pf	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Rock Is.	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Rock Is. pf	22 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
St. L. & So. W.	105 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
St. Paul	95 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
So. Pacific	26 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Southern Ry	26 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Southern Ry pf	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Tele. Copper	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Texas Pac	15 1/2	15	15
Third Ave	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Union Pacific	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
U. S. Hub	59 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
U. S. Rail pf	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
U. S. Steel pf	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Utah Copper	54 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
U. S. B. pf	11	11	11
Westinghouse	70	70	70
Western Un	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2

	High	Low	Close
Boston Elevated	84	84	84 1/2
Bos & Maine	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Fitchburg pf	92	92	92
N. Y. & N. R.	75	75	74 1/2

FIRST CHANGES NARROW

E. P. DROPPED POINT ON INITIAL
SALES—MARKET LATER TURNED
DOWNWARD

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—First changes in stocks today were narrow and indecisive. The only important movement at the opening was on Union Pacific, which dropped a point on the initial transaction. Professional traders inclined to the short side but the strength of the market during the last fortnight caused them to move cautiously and the volume of business was not large. A majority of the active stocks opened fractionally lower and when it became evident that no aggressive buying movement was under way, selling pressure was increased. The market turned definitely downward. South, Southern Pacific, Rubber, Steel, Simetling and New Haven were depressed a point.

Buying of stocks was less confident today but pressure was not severe and prices hardened after the opening decline.

Reports that the Mexican problem was assuming a more troublesome aspect were cited. In explanation of the reluctance of traders to extend short covering and the bulls succeeded in pushing up Reading materially. The tobacco stocks and other investment shares also made a good showing but the general upturn was slow.

An outbreak of liquidation in the Rock Island securities depressed them one to two points before selling pressure was exhausted. Notwithstanding this movement the general market advanced which occasioned modification of bearish opinion. London reversed its attitude toward the market, selling a large part of the stock taken here yesterday.

The market closed heavy. Rapid slackening of the demand for stocks led to no hours to make a concerted demonstration against the list in the final half hour. Reading lost all of its rise and the general level sagged again to fractionally below yesterday's closing.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Jan. 28.—There was a downward tendency to the tone of the copper market today but it halted early in the afternoon. Trading was light to the close. Alaska Gold 22 1/4, Butte & Superior 21 1/2, Laramie 21 1/2, Minot 21 1/2, Pond Creek 20 1/2, Swift & Co. 100 1/2, U. S. Smelting 42 1/2, U. S. Smelting pf 48 1/2, Utah-Apex 21 1/2.

BONDS

THE LOWELL SUN

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ENFORCING LIQUOR LAWS

Those who would put the responsibility for the local infractions of the liquor laws on the shoulders of the three license commissioners are either ignorant of the true conditions regarding the situation or have little regard for the facts of the case. It is necessary for the proper enforcement of the municipal and state regulations that the commissioners be prudent in the granting of licenses, that they be alert and vigilant, that they be always ready to co-operate with the mayor and police department, that they refuse to renew licenses when the holder has been guilty of flagrant law infraction and that they keep in personal touch with the holders of licenses. If they have failed in any of those particulars they have failed in their duty, but they have not failed in their duty to the public if they have refrained from making surprise visits to hotels and bars at all hours of the day and night, if they have neglected to hang round corners watching entrances of liquor saloons. If, in other words, they have refused to usurp the duties of the police department of which the mayor is head.

When the license commissioners of the city were also heads of the police department, infractions of the liquor laws could with some degree of justice be laid directly to the negligence of members of the commission governing the granting and the holding of licenses. At these times it was expected that the commissioners should get evidence against offenders. Even when the present license commission was organized, its members followed out precedent in making surprise visits to saloons and doing more or less of the spying incident to the getting of evidence against holders of licenses who did not respect the liquor laws. The schema was not satisfactory. In the abstract it did not foster cordial or honorable relationship between the members of the commission and licensees and it was just as unsatisfactory from the practical point of view because the members of the commission became well known and were at most certain to meet things in apparent order.

With the abandonment of the spying policy, the members of the license commission adopted a relationship with the holders of licenses founded on good faith. They did not get into their activity or negligent in law enforcement. It has never been shown that they intruded themselves between the violator of the liquor laws and any punishment that was deemed necessary. In fact it may be said without fear of contradiction, and proved, that any pressure brought to bear on the chief of police by the license commissioners during the past four years was exerted in the interest of law and order and the proper enforcement of the liquor regulations.

The aim of the license commissioners has been to encourage the license holder in respect for the law in order to make his business permanent. It has not been found necessary by licensees as in years past to urge their claims for renewal or bring any pressure to bear on the commissioners.

Where a man has been found worthy of license renewal, it has been granted. The commissioners have dwelt on this consideration to the holders of licenses collectively and individually, and when violations were reported by the police, they were acted on promptly. It has been the duty of the police to get evidence against violators of the liquor laws and the commissioners have been ready, as we believe, they are today, to co-operate in every way possible with the mayor and police department in getting full compliance with the law.

The action of the license board in suspending the two liquor licenses under which violations of law were found by the police, will have a more salutary effect than the \$500 fines imposed on bartenders. The license board has shown its readiness to back up the police in the enforcement of the law, but it is not expected to go out and do police work.

CANAL TOLLS AGAIN

The clause in the law governing the collection of tolls from vessels using the Panama canal which would exempt American coastwise ships, has been a bone of controversy between this country and England since its enactment, and it cannot be said that with afterthought the weight of public opinion here has favored it. The vexed question will again be considered by congress in the near future, and though the president has not as yet made formal declaration of his attitude, it has always been said and has not been contradicted, that he favors a repeal of that section of the Panama Canal act which has caused so much adverse discussion here and abroad. He has made known his attitude to the members of the senate foreign relations committee, and this is taken in official circles to mean that he will soon be responsible for the introduction of a bill in congress which will repeal the offensive clause or arrange matters so that there will be no in-

cultivated for domestic and culinary purposes."

"Why, indeed, only that our 'mother tongue' is so complex. We may say of either men or plants, that they have become naturalized; but, so far as I know, only animals are domesticated."

This year the Farm and Trades school, the school for worthy boys located on Thompson island, in Boston harbor, reaches its 100th anniversary. The board of managers and Superintendent Charles H. Bradley are now discussing plans for the observance of the centenary.

This school is the pioneer in Amer-

ica in many of the things which are now generally done in boys' schools and academies in all parts of the country, and its college, now government, in which the boys serve as mayor and aldermen and elect their own government, antedates the "George Junior Republics" or any other similar school government.

There is a head waiter who has the reputation of a wit. There is one story about him, going the rounds of patrons of the cafe where he is em- ployed that proves it.

The story concerns a very fastidious

old gentleman, who was cursed with a weak stomach and indigestion. One day he ordered for luncheon some honey, a glass of water and an apple.

When these were served, he took a large spoonful of honey, but dropped it half-way to his mouth. There, clinging to it, was an irresistible hair.

In disgust, he picked up the glass of water. He could hardly believe his eyes, for on the side of the glass was another; with a grain he picked up the apple, but there again—

This was too much. He called the waiter and made his complaint.

The waiter looked over the situation and then ventured as his opinion that the hair in the honey might have come out of the comb; that there was no excuse for one on the apple, for it was a Baldwin; and that certainly there could not have been one in the ice water, for the ice had been shaved!

And fractions, too, I multiplied,

I turned them up or on one side, And added them, or used some trick To get the answer right and quick. Yet since I left the schoolhouse door I must confess—perhaps with shame— I never had to multiply A fraction when I sell or buy.

I wonder why?

Old Euclid, too—I toiled with him, I tackled diagrams with vim; Whilst various angles I'd meet, Dots, circles, lines and lylng arcs, And all the cabalistic marks I've never used since that far day. They do not help me draw my pay—

I wonder why?

The algebraic mysteries Once were as plain as A B C's. I could stretch X's, Y's and Z's Across the board and then with ease Could solve, although my mind 'twould vex

The problem showing what was X. Yet since I left the schoolhouse door I've fathomed X plus Y no more—

I wonder why?

—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

CARELESS DRIVERS

Boston Post: If the bill relative to careless automobile driving in the public highways of the state, which was filed with the clerk of the house yesterday, should become a law, there will be greater safety to foot passengers and less recklessness on the part of those controlling power vehicles. The bill provides not only for a heavy fine, but for imprisonment as well, and the offender will find that he cannot escape with the mere act of opening his pocketbook.

HATTI

Lewiston Sun: The whole island of

Hatti is about as large as Maine. The eastern two thirds is Santo Domingo, with a population about equal to Maine. The western third is Hatti with a population nearly three times as large as Maine. In Hatti the popula-

tion is mostly negro or mulatto; in Santo Domingo, Spanish creole. The language of Santo Domingo is Spanish; of Hatti, French. The trade of both republics is principally with the United States.

TREES IN PARIS

Christian Science Monitor: It must

be interesting to American cities at this time to learn that the planting,

raising and upkeep of the trees which contribute so much to the beauty of Paris are duties regarded among the most important of those performed by the prefecture of the Seine. In the United States and Canada work of this kind is usually of secondary con-

sideration in municipalities. Many European municipalities refuse to re-

gard it so, and with results that charm

the tourist from across the Atlantic.

CANNED GOODS

New Bedford Mercury: In the year

that is just ended, canned goods to the

value of twenty million dollars were

exported from the United States.

Meats, fruits, vegetables, dairy prod-

ucts and fish were the principal arti-

cles forming this class of exports, and

they were distributed to all parts of

the world, especially the tropics, though England is a large customer

for certain classes, especially salmon

and fruits, while considerable quanti-

ties go to the non-contiguous territories

of the United States which, in turn,

send quantities of canned fruits and

fish in exchange for other classes of

canned goods sent to them.

SAFETY FIRST

Foster's Democrat: "The Safety

First" movement among the railroads

of New England is surely growing,

Sunday more than a thousand em-

ployees of the larger New Eng-

land lines are now in favor of

conditions. "Safety First" was the

name of the arguments. The man-

agers urged discipline while the em-

ployees counseled good will as means

to a happy medium.

ENGLAND AND OIL

Burlington Free Press: John Bull

comes to his new battlefield

on the assumption that Longfellow

will secure oil fields in Central and

South America. That project having

failed, England will be forced to change

her naval plans. No wonder the British

representative in Mexico sought to

reorient the schemes of Huerta who

favored the British plans.

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a road which Westford is bound to

remain. We presume it will be best

that immediate action be taken by

the petitioners relating to the sta-

tion as soon as possible, and we en-

close a copy of a letter received from

the highway commission together

with forms of petition relating to the

same.

We have filed in on the map the

portion of the road which is before

the petition. Kindly let us know what

you will do in the matter.

Yours very truly,

County Commissioners.

VISCOUNT KNUTSFORD DEAD

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Viscount Knut-

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NEWS OF LEGISLATURE

House Favors Naphen of Natick—Senate Considers Payment of the Strike Police

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—William J. Naphen of Natick will occupy the vacant seat in the house if the report of a majority of the committee on elections, made yesterday, is adopted. The report, which is on the calendar for today, finds that Naphen received 1016 votes and Thomas H. Brennan 1015 and recommends that Naphen be declared elected to the house.

In the senate, the bill recommended by the Fall River police board that cities and towns to which police are furnished in time of riot or strike, should pay not only the wages of the officers and their living expenses, but also for their food, lodging and pension in case of illness or injury by such service, was substituted for the adverse report of the committee on cities. It is to come up today.

Reports of committees were read and placed in the order of the day as follows:

Ways and Means.—A bill to allow the disbursing officer of the state board of charity to give a bond in \$12,000 instead of \$700, the sum of \$10,000 to guarantee instead of \$5,000.

An order was adopted permitting the committee on education to visit Northampton on or before Jan. 29. The rules were suspended and the bill to allow Christ church, Springfield, to hold \$150,000 in property was passed and sent to the house. The bill to take the licenses of hawkers and peddlers from the secretary of the commonwealth and give it to the commissioner of weights and measures was postponed till today.

State Institutions.—Representative Roland D. Sawyer of Ware, in speaking before the joint committee on rules yesterday afternoon in support of his petition for the appointment of a standing recess committee to investigate and inspect public institutions for the care of insane, paupers and prisoners, declared that a case had been reported to him by ex-Representative Edward McGrath of 1199 Tremont street, where an inmate of the Medfield state asylum had been placed in a straight-jacket and the straight-jacket left there so long, without being washed or cared for, that the flesh became blithy. Mr. Sawyer added that Mr. McGrath had promised to produce witnesses to prove this statement, if so requested.

Mr. Sawyer also told of complaints regarding the sanitary conditions, ventilation and food at the state prison, that had been reported to him by H. W. Stebbins, former chaplain.

Representative Meade of Brockton declared that he had been familiar with conditions at Medfield for several years and had never known of a straight-jacket being used there. He also said that it seemed peculiar that Mr. Stebbins had not spoken previously on conditions at the state prison. He declared that the ventilation and light at the state prison were very good, in fact much better than the average working-man's home.

Speaker Cushing said he considered that the prison commission and the governor's council had the necessary powers for the investigation desired by Mr. Sawyer and, although he was in thorough sympathy with any movement to better the conditions of prisoners or state charges, he could not agree that the bill proposed by Mr. Sawyer would help conditions materially.

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RESERVE BANK CIGARET "CURE"

Hearing by Organization Committee at Seattle, Wash., Today

SEATTLE, Wash., Jan. 29.—Bankers from various cities in Washington and Alaska came here today to attend the regional bank hearing conducted by Secretary McCauley and Houston, the organization committee. The secretaries were guests last night at a banquet given by the Seattle commercial

club. In a speech, Secretary McCauley defended the appointment by the president of John Skeaton Williams as comptroller of the currency.

"Selbst Interess," Mr. McCauley said, "endeavored to defeat the confirmation of the appointment."

Mr. McCauley said he had been urged by many representative business interests to advise President Wilson to say nothing about the trust.

He predicted that the anti-trust legislation now under way would be a continuation of the benevolent influence of the tariff and currency laws.

Secretary Houston took up the question of membership of the federal reserve board and intimated that there had been no lack of candidates for places on the board. He said:

"I imagined that those who are making special efforts to be considered are not always going to be the first to receive favorable consideration because there are positions which in my judgment no man ought to have the presumption to apply for."

INVESTIGATE COPPER STRIKE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Arrangements for beginning the federal investigation of the Michigan copper and Colorado coal strikes next week were taken up today by the house mines committee, authorized by resolution of the house to conduct the inquiry. It was expected Chairman Foster would be ready at the conclusion of the meeting to announce the completed program. Tentatively it had been agreed that hearings should be conducted by two sub-committees which would leave for the west the latter part of this week.

THE MINERS STRIKE

HOUGHTON, Mich., Jan. 29.—Chief interest in the strike of the Western Federation of Miners is centered in the coming investigation of the copper mines by a congressional committee and no change in the situation is looked for until its finish.

The grand jury continued hearing witnesses today. Further investigations into the murder of three British miners are being made.

ASSIST CALUMET STRIKERS

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 29.—Labor leaders of Michigan holding official positions in almost every vocational affiliation with the Michigan State Federation of Labor attended a conference at the state capital today to decide upon a plan for raising funds to assist the copper miners of the Calumet region in continuing the strike which had been in operation since last July.

Executive officials of the state federation authorized a statement denying a rumor that the conference might consider the advisability of recommending a statewide strike.

ROSTER OF CHICAGO CUBS

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—The 1914 roster of the Cubs is nearly complete, according to Manager Evers, who returned home last night from a scouting trip through the south, where he signed three players for the coming season.

"I got Vaughan, Pierce, Leah and Phelan lined up, as was reported," said Evers. "I was not in Chattanooga, however, to see Jimmy Johnson. His name was not on my list and I think he already is in line."

MISS EVA BOOTH BETTER

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Miss Eva Booth, head of the Salvation Army in this country, spent a restful night and was better today, according to announcement made at the Army barracks where she had been confined to bed for more than a week. It was said that she probably would be out within a week unless complications developed.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY has already entered a team in the relays.

THE EXPLOSION KILLS SIX

GENOA, Italy, Jan. 29.—Five soldiers and one civilian were killed and nine others were seriously wounded, when a powder magazine exploded yesterday.

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Sergeant Giroux Honored by Men of Late Night Shift

Pleasant Event at the Police Station This Morning



SERGEANT WILLIAM GIROUX

prisons and asylums, then tell it to the public," said Mr. Sawyer. "It is evident from the constant complaints and charges against the various institutions that the people think something is wrong."

No other persons appeared to be heard on the bill and the committee, in executive session after the hearing, decided to report unfavorably on it.

Court Change Opposed

There was strong opposition and little support at a hearing yesterday before the committee on judiciary on the Ulmer bill to create a municipal court in this city with a justice and to abolish the district courts. There was testimony that Judge Fallon of South Boston and Judge Churchill of Dorchester give eminent satisfaction in their districts under the present system. A number of representatives protested against the change.

John F. Duffy argued in favor of his bill to appropriate \$25,000 for a Suffolk law library, free to every attorney, to take the place of the Social Law Library. Treasurer Jeremiah Smith of the Social Law Library opposed the scheme. Mr. Duffy also argued for his bill to create a district court for Mattapan, which was opposed by Michael J. Murray of Roxbury and Representative L. F. Gilman of Hyde Park.

Gov. Walsh to Council

Governor Walsh made to the executive council yesterday an important statement in which he indicated his intention of requiring persons who were candidates for notaries public or justices of the peace, unless their qualifications were obvious, to appear in person before the governor or a committee of the council in order that their fitness may be determined.

"My attention has been called," says the governor, "to the fact that the lack of care and of investigation in the appointment of justices of the peace and notaries public has led to many abuses in the past; that the appointment of men of limited education, who know practically nothing about the powers and duties of these offices, and in some instances can hardly speak the English language, is creating a condition that calls for some remedial action."

"The form of application for appointment as notary public now requires that it be signed by at least five well-known persons, one of whom must be a member of the bar, one an executive officer of the city or town, and one a justice of some court of record."

Danger Among Foreigners

"Notwithstanding this precaution, applications have been approved by Justice of the peace when, on the very face of the application, it was evident that the applicant could not spell the simplest words in the English language or write intelligibly. It is evident, therefore, that the precaution heretofore existing has not sufficed to prevent undesirable persons from receiving these appointments."

"The powers of a notary public in foreign countries are exceedingly broad and it is considered responsible and honorable office. The result of promulgating empowering persons to hold these offices has already led to misrepresentation and abuse of the authority given, especially among our foreign population."

Must Be Examined

The constitution of Massachusetts requires the governor to appoint notaries public and justices of the peace in the same manner as judicial officers are appointed.

"The responsibility being upon me in the first instance to appoint these men, I intend in the future to require that all persons other than attorneys-at-law or those connected with mercantile or financial institutions, appear in person before the governor or a committee of the council to be briefly examined as to their fitness for the appointment which they seek."

"I would also request that justices of the court in the future cooperate with the executive department of the commonwealth by using more care in approving applications submitted to them."

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REPORT ON DRUNKENNESS

Commission Finds Jail Terms Improper Treatment and Recommends Hospital Care

Features in Report on Drunkenness

Only 62 per cent. of inmates received at Foxboro have a court history.

Of all criminals 96 per cent. are intemperate by habit.

Loss was 300,000 working days last year.

Of all arrested in 1912 there were 41,590 or 42 per cent. released by the probation officer.

The payment of fines should be ordered with great care.

Imprisonment for fines should be reduced or abandoned.

A large number of cases can be cured by hospital treatment. There is lack of curative treatment for women.

It is inexpedient to apply state-wide prohibition as a remedy.

It is unwise to try elimination of private profit as a remedy. Local option approved.

General remedies are public demonstrations of evil of drunkenness and "neighborhood centres" as a substitute for the saloon.

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—No more imprisonment for drunkenness is the prominent feature of an exhaustive report submitted yesterday by the commission created under Chapter 117 of the Resolves of 1913.

The report is signed by Judge Michael J. Murray, chairman; Dr. Irvin H. Neff, W. Rodman Peabody, Dr. Elmer E. Southard and Edwin O. Childs, Jr., secretary.

The findings of the commission are as follows:

"Our study of the existing penal procedure for persons arrested for drunkenness has led us to the conviction that imprisonment is generally an inappropriate treatment for this class of misdemeanants. In general, it should be ordered only for persons who do not respond to release, probation, fine and suspended sentence. Moreover, we believe that no person should be sent to prison for drunkenness until examination of the person by medical experts has demonstrated to their satisfaction that he cannot be benefited by hospital treatment.

"Inhabitants who are criminals, who prove unmanageable in hospitals for inmates, are the only types for whom imprisonment should be ordered. Those who are mentally deficient should be placed in an appropriate institution for defectives.

Avoid Imposing Fines

"We urge, therefore, the abandonment of imprisonment for drunkards except for the criminal and unmanageable. In place of imprisonment, we believe that the probation officers and courts of the state should make wider and more uniform use of their right to release without arraignment persons arrested for drunkenness who have not been arrested twice before within 12 months. Persons arrested more than twice within the year, and others where the court deems advisable, should generally be placed on probation. The probation service of the state should be consistently developed, both in extent and quality.

"The fine should be used less frequently than at present and should be ordered only where the burden of the fine will fall upon the defendant. Imprisonment for non-payment of fine should be avoided and the payment of the fine should be substituted for the probation officer should be substituted.

Prevention of Drunkenness

"Prevention should take precedence over cure at every point in a rational social policy for the control of drunkenness. There are seven fundamental ways in which this community might reduce drunkenness: First, by state-wide prohibition of the liquor traffic; second, by elimination of private profit in the sale of intoxicating liquors; third, by more thorough enforcement of existing legislation regulating the sale of liquor; fourth, by amendments to the existing liquor laws; fifth, by increasing and improving public instruction on temperance; sixth, by competing with the saloon as a club through public provision of wholesome recreation for all persons; seventh, by the gradual elimination of those factors in the environment and heredity of the individual which may predispose him to excessive use of alcohol as a drug.

The Recommendations

Following are the detailed recommendations:

(1) That a metropolitan branch of the Norfolk state hospital be established within the metropolitan district.

(2) For the treatment of delirium tremens.

(3) To serve as observation and receiving ward for the Norfolk state hospital.

(4) To provide a clinic for incurable cases of insanity.

(5) To serve as headquarters of the out-patient department of the Norfolk state hospital.

(6) To provide medical officers to visit patients in the evening and early morning to examine cases arrested for drunkenness three times within 12 months, and others at the discretion of the probation officer, to ascertain if these persons are in need of hospital treatment.

(7) That a hospital for women inmates be established in connection with the Norfolk state hospital.

More Detention Cottages

(8) That the number of cottages in the hospital and detention departments of the Norfolk state hospital be increased.

(9) That judges of the Boston municipal court be given power to commit to the Norfolk state hospital un-

til further notice.

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der the acts of 1903, chapter 504, section 29.
(6) That section 50 of the acts of 1903, chapter 504, be amended to commit the inebriate willing to submit to commitment (as distinguished from "voluntary admission") under section 51 to the Norfolk state hospital, may be committed by any of the judges mentioned in section 29 of the acts of 1903, chapter 504, upon the filing of a certificate of the inebriety of the alleged inebriate by any town or city physician, by any physician designated by the selection or may of the town or city in which the inebriate has settled, or by any one physician privately employed.

(6) That the office of probation officer shall not be held by any deputy sheriff or clerk of court.

Jamaica Ginger Snaps

(1) That the sale by druggists (holders of licenses of sixth class) of intoxicating liquor, Jamaica ginger, ethyl alcohol be prohibited, except upon the prescription of a duly registered physician practising within the commonwealth. Such prescription should be filled only once, and should not be refilled. Sale of intoxicating liquor or ethyl alcohol by druggists for mechanical and chemical purposes should be expressly prohibited.

(8) That provision be made for examination by the state board of health of all intoxicating liquors suspected of adulteration, submitted by the licensing authorities, board of health, or police department, of any city or town; such analysis to be made to ascertain the presence of any poisons, drugs, or other substances dangerous to the health of the user. The annual appropriation to the state board of health should be made sufficient to cover all increase in expenditures which may be involved in this service.

Lessons on Drink

(2) That the board of education be empowered to co-operate with the state board of health, charity, and insanity, prison commissioners, or any public employees or private citizens of the state professionally dealing with the treatment of inmates, or in scientific research of inmates, or in scientific research of any phase of the alcohol problem which they may deem important; to arrange for lectures to be delivered annually at all normal schools of the state, not only of all teachers meeting, and to prepare manual for teachers to give instruction in all phases of the alcohol problem, and in self-control.

(6) That the state board of health

empowers and directs that new families be enrolled. The fact remains, however, that new families are coming in every month and it has been estimated that the total expense this year would amount to about \$25,000.

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84 FAMILIES ASSISTED LOWELL LOSES PITCHER

By City Under Act Providing Aid for Mothers With Dependent Children—\$25,000 Needed

Tincup, Oklahoma Indian, Recalled by Phillies—Tyler Makes Statement Regarding Federals

The number of families being assisted by the city under the act providing assistance for mothers with dependent children under 11 years of age is \$1,600 families having come in since January 1. The total amount to be paid the 84 families for the month of January will be \$17,816.63 which would mean an expense of over \$17,000 for the year providing no more families should be enrolled. The fact remains, however, that new families are coming in every month and it has been estimated that the total expense this year would amount to about \$25,000.

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has her headquarters at the office of the board of charities at city hall. As soon as application is made for assistance under the act in question the visitor goes to the home and investigates conditions there. Besides the visits made when applications are received she also makes quarterly visits and sends quarterly reports to the state board of charities on blanks prepared by the state board for that purpose.

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The assistance given is based, of course, upon the number of children in the family. Some mothers have but one child while others have eight or nine children. The average, it is stated, is about four children to a family.

A BARGE PARTY DRAFTSMEN WON

Conducted by Belvidere Bachelor Girls Last Night—Great Success

Defeated Foundry Five in Saco-Lowell League—High Scores Rolled

The annual barge party, supper and dance of the Belvidere Bachelor girls was held last evening at Schofield's farm, Tyngsboro, and the affair was one of the most enjoyable of its kind held during the present season. Nearly 50 couples were present and took part in the program and all enjoyed the evening's entertainment.

Although the event was heralded as a slight, the sudden departure of the snow made it necessary for the committee to change its plans and when the merrymakers assembled at the corner of Church and Central streets about 7:15 they found three large barges waiting to convey them to their destination.

Over the roads they journeyed with all the comfort to be found on a rubber tired triple sprung barge wagon. And, of course they were not altogether quiet during the ride for "On the Old Fall River Line," "You Made Me Love You" and other popular songs were sung with a spirit that attracted the attention of habitants all along the route.

Shortly after their arrival at Schofield's they assembled in the spacious dining room and partook of the many good things on the menu. It is needless to say that all had good appetites after the ride over the country roads and the supper was very much enjoyed.

The committee which had planned to make the day "checkoff" of everything that comprises a running good time lived up to the expectations of their many friends who learned that a live program had been arranged for them.

The greater number spent the remainder of the evening in the dance hall, where a popular orchestra furnished excellent music. None but the approved dances were indulged in and the various numbers on the dinner cards were gone through to the enjoyment of both the dancers who gilded lightly over the floor and onlookers.

Shortly before midnight the happy young people again took their places in the barges for the return trip which was fully as enjoyable and lively as the ride earlier in the evening. On their arrival at Towers corner the jolly party divided into groups and traveled to their homes in the various sections of the city expressing much praise to the Belvidere Bachelor girls for the fine fun afforded them.

CALIFORNIA ALIEN LAND BILL

TOKIO, Jan. 22.—Hope is expressed in official circles here that a basis of understanding on the California alien land ownership question will be found soon by the United States and Japanese governments. The chief concern here at present seems to be in regard to future legislation in America and it is said any additional enactments unfavorable to the Japanese would be considered a serious menace to the traditional friendship of the two countries.

The government at Washington has endeavored to assure Japan that the state of California would cease the enactment of laws held by Japan to be discriminatory. This is admitted here but it is pointed out that owing to the political differences between the federal and state governments there might be some difficulty in obtaining convincing assurances for the future.

FIRST WHEELLESS TO GERMANY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Emperor William's acknowledgment of President Wilson's birthday greetings is said to have been the first official wireless message between the United States and Germany. The emperor's reply was as follows:

TEAM STANDING

WON LOST P. C.

Options 35 13 72.8

Winoats 31 8 70.7

Bohemians 33 15 68.7

Deerfield 28 20 58.3

South Ends 26 22 52.0

Brooklyn 24 28 41.4

Individual averages are as follows:

Nelson 92, Shelly 89, Mason 32, Lane

22, Green 92, Ford 42, Regier 32, Lee

97, McDermott 91, Tracy 90, Holmes

93, Foyler 90, Atkinson 89, Jago 82

91, Gill 88, Quinn 88, Baxter 88, Spanos 87

Mullin 57, Dow 57, O'Neill 57, Carty 57

O'Brien 55, Thibert 56, Kennedy 55

Hickey 55, Teague 55, McMillan

Jenkins 88.

No Truth in Reported Sale

Referring to the previous rumor

that the Boston Nationals thought of

selling him to the St. Louis Nationals,

the big southpaw showed us a com-

The Philadelphia Nationals have recalled the release of Benjamin Tincup, the Oklahoma Indian who was to have played here in Lowell next season, it was reported today from the Philadelphia headquarters. The news was not a surprise to Manager Gray although he was hoping that Manager Doon would release Tincup outright to the Lowell club.

Tincup was turned over to the Lowell club some weeks ago with the proviso in the contract that the Phillies should have the call on the big Indian provided that he made good in Lowell here during the 1911 season. This provision Manager Gray could not agree to as he was willing to pay big money for the Indian and wanted the sale to be made free of all attachments by the National League club.

The contract was returned and until nothing definite was heard concerning the deal it appears now, from the wire, received this morning, that Manager Doon of the Phillies has decided to retain Tincup during his training trip at least and that the Lowell fan will be denied the privilege of rooting for an Indian pitcher. The despatch from Philadelphia follows:

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Lefty Tyler Talks

George (Lefty) Tyler is still undecided as to where he will play this season. He has received offers from the wire for next season but, as he said to The Sun's sporting editor last night, "It is all a question of business with me." "If the Federals give me what I want before the Braves come through I will sign with them and vice versa."

"There has been so much talk made about me," said George, last night, "that I want the fans to know where I stand with regard to signing up for 1911. Baseball with me is the same as with any other deep-thinking player, is business pure and simple and I shall try to pick out the best proposition possible always, of course, with an eye for the future."

"Mr. Brown came on here to see me and to endeavor to obtain my signature to a St. Louis Federal League contract. I made Mr. Brown a proposition and he wired his club owners on the matter. So far nothing has been done one way or another. Mr. Brown is a gentleman and the kind of a man I would like to work for. This remark, however, is meant to reflect in no way upon Manager George Stallings or the management of the Braves, for I have always found him to be one grand good fellow in every way and a man who stood ready to back a player to the hilt."

Tribute to Brown

The capture of "Three Fingered" Brown, continued Lefty, is shown by a little incident which occurred only this week here in Lowell. A sporting writer attempted to take a picture of Monroe Brown and myself together and was refused permission by the Federal manager. Mr. Brown said that it would undoubtedly hurt me with the Boston club if I did not sign with him and no amount of argument would move him from his position. That is the kind of a man he is naturally anxious to be up to provided that other things are equal."

"Now as to the relations existing between myself and the Boston National, "No there has been no friction of any sort between President Gandy and any other official of the club and myself. It appears, however, that the Braves' management thinks that I am trifling and stalling for a raise and it is the case it is easy to break a cold and cure grime as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.

unication from Manager Stallings. This letter stated in no uncertain terms that Tyler would not be sold to St. Louis nor was there any thought of a shift being effected with any other club

Probably rain or snow to-night; Friday clearing with falling temperatures.

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LOWELL MASS. THURSDAY JANUARY 29 1914

PRICE ONE CENT

VANNAH GUILTY

Francis A. Vannah, Civil War Veteran, Convicted of the Murder of Edward E. Hardy by the Jury at Augusta, Me.

AUGUSTA, Me., Jan. 20.—Francis A. Vannah, who was convicted of the murder of Edward E. Hardy in the superior court this afternoon.

The deliberations of the jury occupied a little less than two hours.

Vannah, who is a Civil war veteran, past 70 years of age and previous to entering the National soldiers' home at Togus lived in Nobleboro, was convicted of having fatally shot Edward E. Hardy, a soldier in the Spanish-American war, in Hardy's camp on Togus stream, near the National home on the night of March 20 last. Two bullets from a revolver resulted in the death of Hardy, and three others, alleged to have been fired by Vannah, nearly caused the death of Mrs. Hardy.

He was a member of Company E, 14th Maine regiment, in the Civil war. The larceny of nearly \$50 worth of

BANQUET IN TALL TOWER

Boys Reach the City Hall Clock Through Hole in Attic—Messenger Catches Them in the Act

If an endeavor to get to the top of things presages, for the youth, a bright, successful or brilliant future, there are a few boys in this town who

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CONGRESSMAN ROGERS ON TRADERS BANK

Writes Letter to Comptroller of Currency, Calling Attention to the Delay—Money Held in U. S. Treasury

Congressman Rogers has written the subjoined letter to the comptroller of the currency relative to the great delay in straightening the accounts of the defunct Traders bank:

Jan. 28, 1914.
Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.:

Dear Sir—The Traders National bank of Lowell, Mass., was, on or about Oct. 20th last, placed in charge of a receiver appointed by you. Since that time it has remained closed; its assets have been gradually assembled; its deposits have been distributed among its depositors, and the present time no dividend has been declared.

I am informed that the collections upon the assets as made are deposited in the treasury of the United States and that however

long a period may elapse between the appointment of the receiver and even a partial distribution among the depositors, no benefit on account of interest accrues to the depositors. Moreover, it may erode the amount thus lost through idleness of the money involved may not amount to a very substantial sum, but whether the sum be large or small is, it not a real injustice that the depositors, already penalized through no fault of their own, are not permitted to get the benefit of the interest on their deposits, amounting to perhaps two or three or even four per cent of the total. Furthermore, if the receiver distributed the assets as he intended, at a fair rate of interest, in the banks of the locality the available money in circulation there would be increased by the amount deposited.

I am putting before you the case

of the specific bank in which I am especially interested, not however as a creditor or a depositor, but because it is located in the community where I reside and where so many people in moderate circumstances have been seriously inconvenienced and even severely crippled by the closing of the bank. The problem is, however, a general one equally applicable to the half dozen institutions with total nominal assets of several million dollars owned by you in the six months between April 18th last and Oct. 20th.

I should appreciate a reply stating whether some solution cannot be achieved which, while not infringing upon the safety and efficiency of the collections, may work out fairer play to the depositors.

Faithfully yours,
John Jacob Rogers.

\$500,000 FIRE IN MANCHESTER

MANCHESTER, N. H., Jan. 29.—Fire broke out about 4:20 o'clock this morning and by 5 o'clock had caused a total loss estimated at over \$500,000 and practically razed the Merchants Exchange building, the most important commercial block in Manchester. It was located in the Barton company, the largest drygoods and general department store north of Boston, the Folsom company, another large drygoods store, the Merchants National bank and the Hillsboro County Savings bank and the Western Union Telegraph Co.'s main city office. Several firemen were hurt, though not fatally, by the falling walls. The electric power and lighting plant, which supplies electric power for the city, was shut down and business paralyzed. The cause of the fire is unknown.

The flames were first seen on the tower hung over the door to the inspector's office. Weeks ago when boys and girls, too, were crowding at city hall in search of certificates permitting them to go to work there were times when some of them had long waits. The certificates were passed out at the office of the attendance officers on the third floor and some of the boys who had to wait a long time grew uneasy and impatient. They looked about them for something to do, or something to explore, and finally found their way to the top floor. It is on this floor that the inspector of milk and vinegar has his office and the key to the clock tower hung over the door to the inspector's office.

A little later it became noised about the building that there was a boy's club in the tower at city hall and City Messenger Monahan decided to investigate. The vigorous little messenger wended his way to the tower and after satisfying himself that the clock and the eagle were still intact, he set about to see what signs there were of club dinners, etc. It didn't take him long to discover traces of big league performances and when he came down from the tower he was loaded with milk bottles and papers boxes that had held cake and other good things. Owen allowed that the boys had been living high in more than one way, and in order to dispense with the mid-day and mid-air festivities he ordered that the key to the tower door be transferred from the fourth floor to his, the messenger's office.

Owen and the rest of the sleuths at the municipal building thought that the boys would have to find a new place to eat, drink and frolic, but they had forgotten that Detective Burns had said: "Just leave it to boys to find a way." Now there are boys coming and going at city hall all the time and while most of them are looking for the truant office some of them are bound for other offices and there are a scattering few who haven't any place in particular in mind, but who are looking for adventure of some sort. It's impossible for the police or others to get the half to tell where the boys are going and though the fellows who had high jinks in the tower were watched for they managed to come along unnoticed.

Someone reported boys in the tower and the city messenger laughed. The key to the tower was in his desk and as long as it remained there, thought Owen, no man, woman or child can find their way to the tower. But again it was reported to Owen that there was something going on in the tower, and he decided to investigate, not that he expected to find anybody there but just to satisfy certain ones who insisted that there were boys in or about the tower.

In one of the attics at city hall there are two holes, like port holes, which look in on the bottom floor of the tower. The India who had been enjoying themselves in the tower decided

north part of the fourth floor, in the Folsom store, and spread so quickly that when the firemen reached the scene the building was ablaze from basement to roof.

Help from Concord and Berry

Help was summoned from Concord and Berry but the fire was under control before the apparatus arrived from these places.

The spread of the flames to other property was checked by the new ten story Amoskeag bank building, nearing completion, which stood as an effective barrier on the north of the Merchants Exchange building. From the upper floors of the bank building the firemen were able to pour a deluge of water on the burning structure beneath.

Nearly all the windows on the south side of the new building were shattered by the heat.

The injured firemen, William Fitzpatrick and Charles Skinner, were struck but not seriously hurt by bricks from a falling wall.

FREE PASSAGE

State Ownership of the St. R. R. Advocated by Labor Leaders

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—State ownership of street railroads and free passage on all cars was advocated today by a legislative committee by labor leaders, supported by James L. Cowles of New York and Representative Robert Washburn of Worcester, republican, and C. P. Webster of Roxbury, progressive.

Mr. Cowles declared that a five cent fare is merely attaching a five per cent income tax to the salary of every passenger on the road. Mr. Webster, who is house chairman of the committee on street railroads, before whom the hearing was held, agreed with Mr. Cowles, as did Mr. Webster. Mr. Webster believed, however, that the matter should be referred to the voters.

Counsel for the Boston Elevated road claimed that the legislation was not sufficiently specific in that it did not show how railroads are to be managed after becoming public property.

2000 BANDITS BURN CITY

SHANGHAI, China, Jan. 29.—A force of 2000 bandits this afternoon sacked and virtually burned the entire city of Luan in the province of Ngan-Hwei, W. E. Envistole of the China inland mission, with his wife and children succeeded in escaping to Luchow-Fu but the Catholic missionaries are still in the looted city and it is believed they have not been injured. The brigands are apparently connected with the bands called the "white wolf" who have for a considerable time been ravaging the eastern part of the province of Ho-Nan.

South End Club, Tonight, Associate

Third Edition

F. E. AYER OPPOSED

To Location of Isolation Hospital on Ward Land—Believes That it Would Injure the Lowell General Hospital

Frederick Faunting Ayer, who has so generously endowed the Lowell General hospital from time to time, objects to the erection of an isolation hospital on the land offered the city by Mrs. Dexter a few days ago. The land in question is known as the Ward land and is situated in the rear of the Lowell General hospital.

The trustees of the Lowell General hospital have not yet made any official statement relative to Mr. Ayer's objections, but will probably do so tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Ayer objects emphatically to the location of an isolation hospital on that land because of its proximity to the Lowell General hospital, and in view of the fact that he has done so much for that hospital his objections cannot be very well overlooked.

It was stated today that a committee of the trustees of the Lowell General hospital would appear before the municipal council at its meeting on Saturday and enter a protest against the acceptance of the Ward land.

It is understood that if the tuberculosis hospital were located on the Ward land, the Lowell General would be confounded with the other institution to the detriment of the former. Mr. Ayer objects to the fact that three-quarters of a million dollars going to the Lowell General hospital, it is natural that he is very solicitous for

TWO ARRESTED IN COURT

Supposed Man and Wife Found Not to Have Been Married—Smith Has Wife in Poland

Three cases, which were linked together, were taken up this afternoon in police court before Judge Enright. Joseph Grondalski was charged with forgery and the uttering of a forged laceny of \$55.

Smith, it seems, owned a house upon which there was a mortgage and sold the house. Grondalski's brother, who is dead, was the mortgagor. Grondalski, the police claim, impersonated his dead brother and released the mortgage. His case was continued until Feb. 14.

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Smith was realy owned by another man although Smith had possession of the animal. Smith sold this horse for \$80 and the woman was implicated as well. The money was refunded to the gold-brick peddler today and these complaints were placed on file.

Smith was also an instrument in helping a woman desert a tiny baby out in Tewksbury, and Judge Enright also found him guilty on this count and fined him \$20. The child is now at the state hospital in Tewksbury.

While Smith was being examined by his counsel Judge Enright interrupted and asked the man if he had a wife in Poland. The answer came through an interpreter in the affirmative. The woman who posed as his wife was then questioned by the court and she admitted that she and Smith had never been married although they have lived together for several years.

Judge Enright immediately sent for Supt. Welch and a warrant was gotten for each of them, charging lewd and lascivious cohabitation. Both defendants will plead to these new complaints tomorrow morning.

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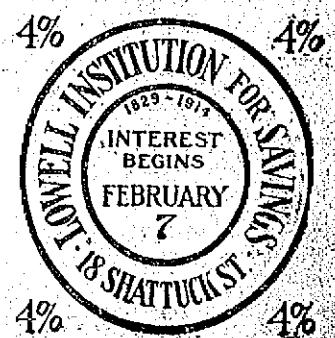
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Lowell, Thursday, Jan. 29, 1914.

A. G. Pollard Co.

The Store for Thrifty People

This is the only store-wide bargain movement of the year—the only time that all departments work together at a special sale. At this final clearance before inventory every one of our 30 odd departments has a chance to dispose of the goods they do not wish to take in stock with no restrictions as to cost or profit. Our previous "Look Here" sales have proven a boon to Lowell's shoppers. For three days three items from each department will be emphasized by the "Look Here" signs. The index signs in the hanging frames point to the bargains offered.

BLACK DRESS GOODS

Fine French Wool Poplin, 56 inch width. Regular price \$1.50 yard. Special for this sale.....	Only 75c Yard
56 Inch All Wool Suiting Serge, \$1.25 quality. Special price.....	Only 98c Yard
Priestley's Tussah Royal, a mohair and worsted fabric. Regular price \$1.89 yard. Special price.....	Only 98c Yard
Fine German Batiste, beautiful black, \$1.50 quality. Special price.....	Only \$1.15

COLORED DRESS GOODS

1200 Yards of All Wool Dress Goods to be sold at this sale. \$1.00 and \$1.50 qualities at the low price of.....	50c Yard
Our Entire Line of Remnants of 50c and 59c Dress Goods; batiste, serges, pencil stripe suiting, all colors and black. Sale price.....	Only 29c Yard
1200 Yards Fine Printed Challis to be closed out at once. We have made the price an object for you to come to this sale. These are remnants and are matched up in waist and dress patterns. Regular price 50c. Special clean up sale.....	Only 15c Yard
Palmer Street	Right Aisle

WASH AND WHITE DRESS GOODS

LOOK HERE SALE	
On the Bargain Counter—Palmer Street, Centre Aisle, at 5c Yard—About 2500 yards odds and ends of the season, comprising percales, dimities, batistes, mercerized novelties, serpentine crepes, corduroys, etc. Regular price from 12 1/2c to 17c.	
On the Tables—Palmer Street, Centre Aisle, at.....	7c Yard
About 10,000 yards of the following materials—Best quality cutlings, extra fine voiles, batistes, pongees, crepes, etc. Regular price from 12 1/2c to 25c.	
On the Gingham Counter—Palmer Street, Right Aisle, at 12 1/2c Yard—About 1500 yards of up-to-date materials, limited assortment Anderson gingham (plain and fancy), pajama cottons (about ends), novelty suings, 40 in. printed, plain and fancy voiles, colored corduroys, silk and cotton goods, etc. Regular prices from 18c to 39c.	

SILKS

About 100 Yards White Taffeta Silk, remnants. Regular price 75c.	
Only 19c Yard	
About 200 Yards Black India Silk, remnants. Regular price 59c.	
Only 19c Yard	
About 100 Yards Damaged Velvet Remnants, colors. Regular price \$1.00.	
Only 19c Yard	
Palmer Street	Right Aisle

TRUNKS AND BAGS

20 Trunks, 34 inch size, fine brass trimmed, heavy cleats, two centre bands, iron bottoms, Excelsior style locks. Regular price \$6.50.	Only \$3.98 Each
2 Fitted Suit Cases, 24 inch size (only two). Were \$10.00.	Only \$5.00 Each
12 Fine Men's Bags, sizes 17 to 20 inches. Were \$16 to \$20.	Only \$12.50 Each
Palmer Street	Near Avenue Door

LINENS

30 Dozen Knit Face Cloths, subject to manufacturer's slight imperfections, made to sell for 5c to 10c each. Look here price.	
2c Each, 3 for 5c	
600 Yards All Pure Linen Crash, 17 inches wide, in red borders only. Regular price 12 1/2c. Look here price.....	9c Yard
50 Pattern Cloths, Irish make, size 68x86 inches, warranted all pure linen, only four designs. Regular price \$2.50. Look here price.....	Only \$1.50
Palmer Street	Left Aisle

SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

Damaged Sheets, Three for One Dollar (3 for \$1.00). This means an accumulation of sheets made of good cotton, by a little mending will wear as well as perfect ones, good lengths and widths up to 72 inches. Price clearance.....	3 for \$1.00
About 75 Dozen Pillow Cases, in one size only, 32x36, made of "Dwight Anchor" cotton (but not stamped). A little more than we wish to carry over. Regular price 19c. Final clearance price.....	Only 12 1/2c Each
Palmer Street	Left Aisle

LININGS

7 Pieces Striped Linings, satin finish, in grays and browns. Regular price 39c.	Only 25c Yard
10 Pieces Linen Linings, all colors, 40 inches wide. Regular price 12 1/2c.	Only 8c Yard
14 Pieces Cotton Moreen, all colors, 27 inches wide. Regular price 35c.	Only 21c Yard
Palmer Street	Right Aisle

LADIES' GLOVES

Ladies' 16 Button White Kid Gloves, reach over elbow. Regular \$3.00 glove. Special for three days.....	\$1.89 Pair
Ladies' 2 Clasp Novelty Kid Gloves in tan, with colored stitching. Regular \$1.50 and \$2.00. Special price.....	75c Pair
Children's Woolen Gloves in all colors and sizes. Regular 25c and 50c. Sale price.....	19c Pair
West Section	North Aisle

ART AND FANCY WORK

Pillow Covers. Regular 25c and 50c, at 10c Yards, all kinds, odd shades.....	3c Each
Royal Art Packages. Regular price 25c to \$1.50 at ONE HALF PRICE.	
East Section	Centre Aisle

50 COATS AT \$5.00 EACH

Regular Prices \$15.00 and \$16.50	
One reel of misses' and ladies' winter coats, all perfect, mixtures and chinchillas.	
\$3.98 SWEATERS	98c
Small lot of odd sample sweaters, slightly soiled.	
Cloak Department	

CORSETS

Redfern Corsets. Regular price \$5.00. For this sale.....	\$1.98
W. B. and R. & G. Regular price \$2.00.	Only \$1.39
Brassieres. 50c quality	Only 25c
West Section	Right Aisle

INFANTS' WEAR

Children's All Wool Sweaters, in gray, red and tan, button high at neck, ages 2 to 4 years. Regular price \$1.50. Sale price Only 50c	
Children's Quilted Coat Linings in white only, ages 2 to 4 years. Regular \$1.50. Sale price.....	Only 50c
Children's Eiderdown Bath Robes in red, pink and blue, satin trimmings, ages 2 to 4 years. Regular price \$1.69. Sale price.....	Only 75c
West Section	Bridge

LADIES' SHOES—Street Floor

AT 50c PAIR—Ladies' Boots and Oxfords, discontinued styles and small sizes. Regular price \$2.50 and \$3.50.	
AT \$3.75 PAIR—Ladies' Tan Gait Skating and Walking Boots, button or lace. Regular price \$1.50 and \$5.00.	
AT 59c PAIR—Ladies' Crochet Slippers, all colors. Regular price \$1.00.	
East Section	Right Aisle

SMALL WARES

Holtite Dress Shields. Regular price 25c. Sale.....	Only 14c
Clinton Safety Pins, all sizes.	
Assorted Packages Tape. Regular price 10c. Sale, Only 5c	
West Section	Left Aisle

Look Here

UMBRELLAS

1 Lot of Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas, black, assorted handles. Regular value \$1.00. Special for three days.....	Only 50c
Assorted Packages Tape. Regular price 10c. Sale, Only 5c	
Clinton Safety Pins, all sizes.	
West Section	North Aisle

STATIONERY

Latest Local Items and Telegraphic News of the World

BOGUS SEALER IN COURT

Broke Down and Confessed—
Thomas Little Fined for As-
saulting Officer—Other Cases

The case of Matthew J. Davis, in touch with the police of Revere, charged with larceny, was the principal feature of this morning's session of the local police court. Davis was arrested yesterday by Officer O'Keefe, on a complaint charging him with taking money from two store-keepers for testing and sealing their weights and measures on the pretext that he was the city inspector.

The defendant pleaded not guilty to the charge this morning and cross examined each of the government's witnesses at great length. He readily admitted testing the scales of the complainants and also to taking money for the same but refused to admit that he represented himself as the city inspector.

The two storekeepers who made the complaint took the witness stand and told how the defendant had come to their store and tested their scales. In each case he either stated or intimated that he was from the office of the state weights and measures.

One of the complainants happened to know by sight the men who do this work for the city and questioned defendant as to their whereabouts. Witness said defendant told him that one of them was in Worcester and the other was sick so that it devolved upon him (the defendant) to test his scales.

Sept. Weigh took the witness stand and informed the court that the defendant had been an employee of the Toledo Computing Scales Co. and that the weights, etc., which he used in the local stores belonged to this concern.

The Boston manager came to Lowell this morning and the defendant admitted that the scales were the property of the company and gave them back.

The superintendent further stated that defendant had performed similar operations in New Bedford and Providence and that the full extent of his scale-testing were not known as yet. At every step in the evidence the defendant made himself heard with a question to the witness.

The defendant is scarcely more than a boy. He presented a very bold front at first but when placed on the stand himself he broke down and cried. With the tears streaming down his face, young Davis told Judge Enright that his father was sick and that his family were in very destitute circumstances.

Judge Enright said that he was opposed to sending such a youthful defendant to jail even if his crime was proven. The case was continued until tomorrow morning for sentence. In the meantime the local police will get

MOTHER OF LOWELL MAN

MRS. HARRIETT J. GOSS DIED AT LYNN TODAY AT THE AGE OF 81 YEARS.

Mrs. Harriett J. Goss, widow of John F. Goss, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edmund P. Bass, 51 Mall street, Lynn at the age of 81 years, after an illness of three days from pneumonia.

She was born in Merriam, N. H., April 16, 1832, and was married Dec. 20, 1852, to John F. Goss, who at that time was a railroad man on the old Lowell road. After their marriage they resided in Franklin, N. H. for several years, where her husband died in 1855. She spent most of her life in New Hampshire but lived several years with her daughter here.

She leaves three daughters, Adelade Call, widow of Merrill Call of South Braintree, Mrs. Elvina Fay, wife of James Fay, of Milford, N. H., Clara K. Bass, wife of Edmund Bass, Lynn, N. H., and George W. Goss, of Milford, N. H., and George W. Goss, of Lowell, 13 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., Jan. 29.—Three men were killed today in a collision between the Cincinnati, Indianapolis and Chicago express on the Pennsylvania road and a freight train. Several persons were injured but none fatally.

The passenger train was running at a high rate of speed, when as it rounded a curve the engine saw the lights of the freight train directly in front. He applied the emergency brakes but the heavy engine crashed into the engine, killing A. L. Ritchey, the conductor, a brakeman and a flagman. Another brakeman was injured.

The engine and mail car on the passenger train were derailed, blocking three tracks. None of the passengers was seriously hurt.

A heavy fog hung over the valley and the engineer of the passenger train was unable to see the signals of the automatic block system with which the division is equipped.

FUNERAL OF EX-SEN. CULLOM

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—After a brief funeral service here today the body of former Senator Shelby Cullom was started for Springfield, Ill. Dr. Charles Woods, Presbyterian clergyman and a close friend of the former senator, was telling today how Mr. Cullom had changed his belief in eternity after writing his memoirs. The former senator concluded that work with an expression of doubt that he had found anything in his reading of the scriptures to warrant belief in a hereafter.

"In the last few months his feelings changed completely," said Dr. Woods. "He told me he believed in Jesus Christ and in immortality and added: I want to make at the first opportunity a statement of my simple creed, to be inserted after the last chapter of my recollections, to correct the doubt expressed on a dark day, when the light was dim."

PROMOTERS ARRESTED

WARRANTS FOR NEW BEDFORD BOXING MANAGERS AFTERFIGHT LAST NIGHT

NEW BEDFORD, Jan. 29.—Warrants were issued for the arrests of six men this afternoon as an aftermath of the Yello-Moir boxing exhibition here last night under the auspices of the New Bedford A. C. The action is the result of the concerted action of many of the ministers of this city, who have been waging war on boxing for approximately a year.

The warrants were issued for the arrest of Dennis Shay, Frederick Lyng, John Miller, Michael Hollywood, John Miller and Mitchell Sullivan, all six of whom are supposed to be connected with the boxing club.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 29.—It was announced by the Cincinnati baseball club here this afternoon that Catcher Gonzales, the Cuban, had been signed for the coming season by the local club.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Administration rural credit bills were introduced simultaneously in the senate and house today by Senator Fletcher of Florida and Rep. Mose of Indiana. Members of the committee President Wilson sent abroad last summer to study foreign systems.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—First public hearings on the new trust bills were held today before the bill judiciary committee. The bill defining restraints of trade prohibited by the Sherman law was taken up.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Louis Marshall, Dr. Cyrus Adler and Abraham Lasker of New York conferred this afternoon with President Wilson about a prospective new Russian government.

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FLUCTUATIONS CONFUSED

IN EARLY TRADING—DOWNWARD TENDENCY AFTER FIRST HOURS

—CLOSED WEAK

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Fluctuations of stocks in the early trading today were confused and the market apparently was moving to no purpose. Headings, Amalgamated and Steel opened lower and the Harrimans higher. While professional traders were ranged on the short side their selling was offset by outside buying. Pressed Steel Car jumped 44 in response to a declaration of dividend of 3 per cent, payable in quarterly installments. This is the first dividend on the common stock since 1904. Canadian Pacific rose 14 and Utah Copper 14. In the general list a downward tendency became evident after the first few minutes of trading. Steel was heavy and New York Central lost a point.

The reduction of the English and French bank rates failed to stimulate bullish operations in this market and prices fell away when pressure was applied. The only reflection of improved conditions in European monetary markets was active buying of stock here for foreign account. London and the continent bought 30,000 shares, chiefly Can. Pac. Steel, Amalgamated and some of the minor rail-way shares.

Bullish operators, encouraged by the failure of the shorts to bring about an extensive reaction, bought stocks in the afternoon. The market hardened, although the improvement was slight. Bimonthly common broke 34 and the pfd. 65, both to low records.

The market closed weak. Stocks were liberally supplied to purchasers, which encouraged the bear faction to attack prices vigorously. Weakness of industrial stocks, particularly Steel, had much to do with undermining the market for standard railroad shares.

MONEY MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Call money steady, 142 to 3 per cent; ruling rate, 175; closing bid 1/2 to 3.

Platinum easier; 60 days 24; 20 days 3 to 3 1/4; 6 months 34 to 4. Mercuric paper 3 1/4 to 4 1/2.

Sterling exchange easy. Sixty day bills 453.75; demand 450.50; commercial 452.50. Bar silver 57 1/2. Mexican dollars 45. Government bonds firm; rail road bonds irregular.

BOSTON MARKET

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Weakness in local mining shares developed again today during the opening hours. Granby fell to 82 and Copper Range to 38 1/2.

COAL. GOETHALS

MISS HALSTEAD HONORED

YOUNG LADY PRESENTED BRACELET AT MERRY GATHERING LAST NIGHT

MISS Grace Halstead was pleasantly surprised last evening when a large number of her young friends gathered at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Halstead, in honor of the young lady's birthday. Games were played, refreshments were served and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Mr. Halstead's estimate for 1914 is itemized as follows: Public property, \$25,335.20; school house department, \$23,660; for Greenhalge school equipment, \$2000; rifle range, \$1100; moth and insect extermination, \$8500; messenger's department, \$18,000; weighers' department, \$100; wires department, \$2800; scales department, \$2800; license commission, \$4000. Total, \$73,110.

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TAKE OFF A STORE

Francis Connor, inspector of buildings, ordered a story removed from the building at 616-624 Merrimack street that was damaged by fire some time ago.

It is an open secret at city hall that heads of departments, meaning the commissioners themselves and including the mayor, rather dread the day when the estimates will stare them in the face. It is a case of beware of the day when they will meet each other in battle array.

Some of the estimates are already in. Commissioner Donnelly has completed his estimates for the year. He will ask for \$6,050.20 and that amount, apart from the cemeteries which are taken care of by their receipts. The sum allowed the department of public property and licenses last year was \$73,110. This was the appropriation allowed at the beginning of the year.

When the council gets down to business it must not lose sight of the new law. The commissioners and the mayor must bear in mind that they cannot borrow for departmental or current expenses and that the appropriations allowed at the first of the year will have to suffice. There is no going back to the table for another little "snack." In view of this fact it will be necessary for the council to agree in the beginning upon the amounts for the year and as most of the departments will ask for more than last year, there's a bare possibility that the council may have some stormy sessions, though it was hinted today that the solid majority, "the big three," were in favor of thrashing the annual budget out behind closed doors. Com-

MISSIONS

WESIEGED ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY AND DISCUSSED FORCIBLE FEEDING OF COMRADES

LONDON, Jan. 29.—A fresh move in the trans-Atlantic rate war began recently by the German lines occurred today when the Anchor line announced its intention of starting a service between Queenstown and Boston.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Militant suffragettes today besieged the Archbishop of Canterbury in Lambeth place and eventually forced him to capitulate and receive one of their number to discuss the question of the forcible feeding of their comrades undergoing sentences of imprisonment.

The women were headed by Mrs. Dacre-Fox and it took them upwards of an hour to secure admission to the primate's palace.

They declined to listen to any attempt on the part of the inmates to temporize and finally seeing the futility of trying to escape from his obdurate besiegers, the archbishop allowed Mrs. Dacre-Fox to enter.

Mrs. Dacre-Fox told the prelate that if he believed torture was over justifiable he could not be a real Christian. She said he had only to use his personal influence to put an end to the system of forcible feeding.

The archbishop admitted that he received daily protests from all sections of the community against forcible feeding but declared that he could not give a definite answer to the suffragettes' appeal until he had heard of the result fully.

"All I can do," he said, "is to promise you my very earnest consideration of the matter."

Mrs. Dacre-Fox thereupon informed the archbishop that she was profoundly disatisfied with his reply.

HIGHWAY GRAFT INQUIRY

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 29.—Peter V. Baird, president of the Mohonk Contracting Co. declined today to testify voluntarily before Commissioner Osborne, conducting the investigation of alleged graft in highway construction contracts. Osborne requested Baird's side of the story of the construction of the Montgomery country road which the commissioner yesterday characterized as a direct steal of state money.

J. P. Dealey, a former mayor of Amsterdam appeared for Baird.

"You are at liberty to subpoena Baird if you so desire," said Dealey, "but we will decline to testify voluntarily."

Mr. Dealey was asked if he had any carbond of road oil, concerning the disappearance of which residents along the road had suspicions, was the subject of inquiry.

"We will present records next Tuesday," said Mr. Dealey, "which will show the state received full value for oil."

LARGE REQUESTS TO HARVARD

CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 29.—Harvard university, the principal beneficiary under the will of Merritt Lyndon of this city, filed for probate today.

The value of the estate is estimated at \$500,000. Half the residue is bequeathed to Harvard to establish a fund for medical research in memory of Dr. Merritt Lyndon, father of the testator and a quarter of the residue is to go to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, the income to be devoted to aiding deserving students.

Harvard receives another bequest of \$50,000, "for the promotion of good citizenship by the study of republican government." A trust fund of \$50,000 is to revert to Harvard upon the death of the Bay State street railway. They will be held in living remembrance.

Mr. Edmund H. Blake, agent of the Saco-Lowell Machine shop in Biddeford, Me., and recently appointed superintendent of the local plant of the same concern, came to this city yesterday and took up his new duties as head of both the Lowell and Kitson shops. Relative to rumors that have been going around about other changes at the shops, he said he could not say anything definite at the present time as it would probably depend upon whether or not business picks up in the near future. Rumors of other changes are in circulation.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown to us during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother John, especially the sisters of St. Patrick's home and employees of the Bay State street railway. They will be held in living remembrance.

(Signed)

Daniel O'Connor and Family.

Real Estate and Insurance Business

FOR SALE

The real estate and insurance business for more than 30

years conducted by William E. Potter & Sons, and more recently

by the late Thomas H. Lawler's

estate. Sale includes the agencies for several first class

companies, and all the office appurtenances necessary for the

conducting of a growing business. For further information call at 29

Prescott street, or telephone 3694W.

ESTIMATES ARE READY

For City Council—Departments

Want More Money Than Last

Year—Ald. Morse Talks

missioner Brown will insist that the appropriations be handled in the open.

The Street Department

Commissioner Charlie Morse is busy

on his estimate. He was not in a position

this morning to state the amount that he would ask for, but from what

Charlie said he is not going to be too modest.

"The streets," said Charlie, "were never in worse condition than at the present time and it will take a whole lot of money to put them in shape.

There are only a few streets in the city where a team or an automobile can make anything like good time. The block paved streets are the only ones that are in what you would call good shape. If you don't believe it just ask the fire chief and his assistants. They know what the streets are like because they have to go all over the city. The spring on one of the several thousand bad places the other day and I understand that the axle of another machine snapped in Westford street, and I want to tell you that Westford street is a hole right. I cannot say now just how much I will ask to carry on the street department this year, but I will submit my figures and then it will be up to the municipal council."

Buildings Department

The amounts allowed the department

of lands and buildings last year were as follows: Public property, \$21,000; schoolhouse department, \$21,000; rifle range, \$1000; moth and insect extermination

O'SULLIVAN BROS. COMPANY

OPPOSITE CITY HALL



MARK DOWN SALE

OF \$25,000 WORTH OF

Men's and Women's Fine Shoes



FOR THIS WEEK ONLY

This sale has nothing in common with the usual January offerings of odds and ends of uncertain age and still more uncertain value, but involves our entire stock and presents a money-saving opportunity which no one—rich or poor—can afford to overlook. The great size—wide variety and high character of our stock and the extreme price reductions now in force should attract everyone who appreciates good shoes and a big but safe and sure saving of real money.

LADIES' DEPT.

Ladies' \$6.00 Laird, Schober Co.'s Patent Colt, Button, Kid Top Gun Metal, Button, Cloth Top, now	\$4.89
Ladies' \$5.00 Laird, Schober Co.'s Glace Kid, Button and Lace, Gun Metal, Button and Lace, now	\$4.29
Ladies' \$4.50 Zeigler's Patent Colt, Button, Cloth Top or Kid Top, now	\$3.69
Ladies' \$4.00 K. & D. Patent Colt, Button, Cloth Top, now	\$3.29
Ladies' \$3.50 Grover's Hand-Sewed Button Boots, common sense and opera toes, now	\$2.79
Ladies' \$4.00 Gun Metal, Button and Lace, now	\$2.95

Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.00 Patent Colt, Button, Cloth or Kid Top; also Gun Metal, Button, Cloth or Kid Top, high toe, now	\$2.69
Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.00 Patent Colt and Gun Metal, Button, Cloth Top, low heel, for growing girls; same in Gun Metal, now	\$2.69
Misses' \$2.00 Educator, Button or Lace, now	\$1.85
Children's \$1.50 Educator, Button or Lace, now	\$1.35
Ladies' \$3.50 Laureate and Custom, Kid, Button and Lace, now	\$2.95
SPECIAL—Ladies' \$4.50 Rubber Sole, English Cut, High Shoes, Gun Metal Calf, Invisible eyelets, low heel—New Spring Shoes, offered in this sale at	\$3.69

MEN'S DEPT.

Men's \$6.00 Nettleton's, Vici Kid Bals, Kid Lined; also Boyden's Newark Shoes, now	\$4.95
Men's \$6.00 Vici Kid, Kid Lined, Cork Sole Shoes, now	\$4.95
Men's and Young Men's \$5.00 Tan Russia and Gun Metal Calf, invisible eyelets, low heels, now	\$4.29
Men's \$6.00 Genuine Tan Viking Calf Bals and Bluchers, now	\$4.95
Men's \$4.00 Patent Galt Bluchers, Pointed Toes, now	\$2.89

Men's \$4.00 Box Calf Bluchers, 2 full soles; also the famous Hustler line, now	\$3.49
Men's \$4.00 Gun Metal, Button and Bluchers, single sole, now	\$3.49
Men's \$3.00 Tan Lotus, Calf, Button and Bluchers, now	\$2.69
Boys' \$2.75 J. P. S. Storm Shoes, high cut; sizes 1 to 6, now	\$2.19
Sizes 9 to 13 1-2, now	\$1.89

Come and get fitted now to your favorite styles at a great saving in price. Our entire stock of High Grade Shoes to choose from. Prices are for this week only.

P. S.—On account of the extreme low prices prevailing in this sale, shoes cannot be charged or exchanged.

To the Wearers of Arch Support Shoes—A 10 per cent. reduction will be made on Men's and Women's Arch Support Shoes Purchased during this sale.

O'SULLIVAN BROS. COMPANY

OPPOSITE CITY HALL

CARE OF DOBBIN

a copy may have same by calling at the office of the society, 238 Central street: Drivers' Rules.

1. Start at a walk, and let your horse work very easily for the first half hour.

2. A heavy draft horse should never be driven faster than a walk, with or without a load.

3. Look to your harness. Avoid these faults especially:

Bridle too long or too short. Blinders pressing on the eye or snapping. (An open bridle is best for most horses.)

Throat-latch too tight. Collar too tight or too loose, or dirty on the inside.

Shaft-firth too loose. Traces too long.

Breathing too low down or too loose. Inside reins too long. In the case of pulse.

4. Do not let your horse drive himself; but handle the reins gently, never jerk the reins; to do that is the sure mark of a bad driver.

5. Try to deliver your load with as little backing as possible. Backing a heavy load is apt to strain the hind legs.

6. Take the horse out of the shafts as much as possible; and if you drive a pair of four, unfasten the outside traces before the horse comes in loaded.

7. Water the horses as often as possible; but let the horse that comes in first drink a few swallows only, to make it a happy one.

8. Speak gently to the horse, and it is good for his stomach and blood.

9. Remember that the horse is the most nervous of all animals, and that little things annoy and irritate him. Remember that he will be contented or miserable accordingly as you treat him.

Stable Rules.

1. The best order in feeding is: Water, hay, water again, grain.

2. Never give grain to a tired horse. Let him rest and nibble hay for an hour or two first. Grain in the manger before the horse comes in loaded.

3. Water the horses as often as possible; but let the horse that comes in first drink a few swallows only, to make it a happy one.

4. Always water the horse after he has eaten his hay at night. Do not go to bed leaving him thirsty all night.

5. Do not forget to salt the horse once a week; or, better yet, keep salt always before him. He knows best how much he needs.

6. Give a bran mash Saturday night or Sunday noon; Wednesday night also, if work is slack. After a long day in very cold or wet weather, a hot bran, half bran and half oats, with a tablespoonful of ginger, will do the horse good. Put very little salt, if any, in the mash.

7. If the horse does not eat well, or slobbers, examine his teeth.

8. Keep a good, deep, dry bed under the horse while he is in the stable, day or night, on Sundays especially. The more he lies down, the longer his legs and feet will last.

9. In order to do well, the horse must be kept warm. Give him a blanket on cool nights in late summer or early fall, and an extra blanket on an extra cold night in winter.

10. In cold rains do not lie up the horse's tail. The long tail prevents the water from running down the inside of his legs, and keeps off a current of air from his belly.

11. Take off the harness, collar and all when the horse comes in to feed. He will rest better without it.

12. Never put a horse up dirty or muddy for the night. At least brush his legs and belly, and straighten his hair.

13. In hot weather, and in all weathers if the horse is hot, sponge his eyes, nose, dock, the harness marks, and the inside of his hind-quarters when he first comes in.

14. When the horse comes in wet with rain, first scrape him, then blanket him, and rub his head, neck, loins and legs. If the weather is cold, put an extra blanket in 20 minutes. Change the wet blanket when the horse dries. DO NOT WASH THE LEGS. Rub them dry, or bandage loosely with thick bandages. It is far more important to have the legs warm and dry than clean.

15. To prevent scratches, dry the horse's fetlocks and heels when he comes in, especially in winter; and rub on a little glycerine or vaseline before he goes out in snow or mud.

16. Examine the horse's feet when he comes in, and wash them if he does not wear pads. If a horse in the city is not shod, front with pads, tar and oakum, which is the best way, it is absolutely necessary to keep his feet soft by packing them, or by wrapping wet pieces of old blanket or carpet around the foot, or by applying some hoof dressing or axle oil, just in and out, at least three times a week.

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22. Teach your horses to get into the colts gradually. When a load is to be started, speak to the horses and take a firm hold of the reins so that they will arch their necks, keep their legs under them, and step on their toes. A loose rein means sprawling and slipping, often with one horse ahead of the other.

23. Water your horse as often as possible. Water in moderate quantities will not hurt him, so long as he keeps moving.

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ENFORCING LIQUOR LAWS

Those who would put the responsibility for the local infractions of the liquor laws on the shoulders of the three license commissioners are either ignorant of the true conditions regarding the situation or have little regard for the facts of the case. It is necessary for the proper enforcement of the municipal and state regulations that the commissioners be prudent in the granting of licenses, that they be alert and vigilant, that they be always ready to co-operate with the mayor and police department, that they refuse to renew licenses when the holder has been guilty of flagrant law infraction and that they keep in personal touch with the holders of licenses. If they have failed in any of those particulars they have failed in their duty, but they have not failed in their duty to the public if they have refrained from making surprise visits to hotels and barrooms at all hours of the day and night. If they have neglected to hang round corners watching entrances of liquor saloons, if, in other words, they have refused to usurp the duties of the police department of which the mayor is head.

When the license commissioners of the city were also heads of the police department, infractions of the liquor laws could with some degree of justice be laid directly to the negligence of members of the commission governing the granting and the holding of licenses. At these times it was expected that the commissioners should get evidence against offenders. Even when the present license commission was organized, its members followed out precedent in making surprise visits to saloons and doing more or less of the spying incident to the getting of evidence against holders of licenses who did not respect the liquor laws. The scheme was not satisfactory. In the abstract it did not foster cordial or honorable relationship between the members of the commission and licensees and it was just as unsatisfactory from the practical point of view because the members of the commission became well known and were almost certain to meet things in apparent order.

With the abandonment of the spying policy, the members of the license commission adopted a relationship with the holders of licenses founded on good faith. They did not get lax in their activity or negligent in law enforcement. It has never been shown that they intruded themselves between the violator of the liquor laws and any punishment that was deemed necessary. In fact it may be said without fear of contradiction, and proved, that any pressure brought to bear on the chief of police by the license commissioners during the past four years was exerted in the interest of law and order and the proper enforcement of the liquor regulations.

The aim of the license commissioners has been to encourage the license holder in respect for the law in order to make his business permanent. It has not been found necessary by licensees as in years past to urge their claims for renewal or bring any pressure to bear on the commissioners. Where a man has been found worthy of license renewal, it has been granted. The commissioners have dwelt on this consideration to the holders of licenses collectively and individually, and when violations were reported by the police, they were acted on promptly. It has been the duty of the police to get evidence against violators of the liquor laws and the commissioners have been ready, as we believe, they are today, to co-operate in every way possible with the mayor and police department in getting full compliance with the law.

The action of the license board in suspending the two liquor licenses under which violations of law were found by the police, will have a more salutary effect than the \$50 fines imposed on bartenders. The license board has thus shown its readiness to back up the police in the enforcement of the law, but it is not expected to go out and do police work.

CANAL TOLLS AGAIN

The clause in the law governing the collection of tolls from vessels using the Panama canal, which would exempt American coastwise ships, has been a bone of controversy between this country and England since its enactment, and it cannot be said that with afterthought the weight of public opinion here has favored it. The vexed question will again be considered by congress in the near future, and though the president has not as yet made formal declaration of his attitude, it has always been said and has not been contradicted, that he favors a repeal of that section of the Panama Canal act which has caused so much adverse discussion here and abroad. He has made known his attitude to the members of the senate foreign relations committee, and this is taken in official circles to mean that he will soon be responsible for the introduction of a bill in congress which will repeal the offensive clause or arrange matters so that there will be no in-

cultivation for domestic and culinary purposes?

"Why, indeed, only that our 'mother tongue' is so complex. We may say of either men or plants, that they have become naturalized; but, so far as I know, only animals are domesticated."

This year the Farm and Trades school, the school for worthy boys located on Thompson Island, in Boston harbor, reaches its 100th anniversary. The board of managers and Superintendent Charles H. Bradley are now discussing plans for the observance of the centenary.

This school is the pioneer in America in many of the things which are now generally done in boys' schools and academies in all parts of the country, and its cottage row government, in which the boys serve as mayor and aldermen and elect their own government, antedates the "George Junior Republics" or any other similar school government.

There is a head waiter who has the reputation of a wit. There is one story about him, going the rounds of patrons of the cafe where he is employed that proves it.

The story concerns a very festidious

At Fountains & Elsewhere Ask for
"HORLICK'S"
The Original and Genuine
MALTED MILK
The Food-drink for All Ages.
At restaurants, hotels, and fountains.
Delicious, invigorating and sustaining.
Keep it on your sideboard at home.
Don't travel without it.
A quick lunch prepared in a minute.
Take no imitation. Just say "HORLICK'S"
Not In Any Milk Trust

23, 1850. In early youth he went to work in a cigar factory. At the age of 12 he emigrated with his parents to America. The family located in Boston, where the future labor leader followed his trade as a cigarmaker. When the cigarmakers formed their international union, in 1865, young Gompers was one of the charter members, though he was but 16 years old at the time. In 1881 he represented the organization in a conference held in Pittsburgh, to form a national labor body. Mr. Gompers was elected first vice president of the new organization, which was then styled the Federation of Organized Trade and Labor Unions of the United States and Canada. In 1887 the name was changed to the American Federation of Labor. Mr. Gompers was elected president in 1882 and has filled the office ever since, with the exception of the year 1894, when the socialist element of the trade union movement brought about his defeat.

"I WONDER WHY"

In youth I labored hard at school,
I could repeat the lengthy rule,
That told how the cube root is found;
My boyish brain whirled round and round

With all the mazes of rule—
Yet never, since I went to school,
Have I a cube root yet discerned,
Nor used the rule that then I learned—

I wonder why?

Full oft in hazy memory,
I call to mind the G. C. D.,
What was the thing? Why was it sought?

O, what prodigious painful thought
I spent on it, and how I'd fret,
The dodging G. C. D. to get!
And still, in all the years to me,
Has never come a G. C. D.—

I wonder why?

And fractions, too, I multiplied,
I turned them up, or on one side,
And added them, or used some trick
To get the answer right and quick.
Yet since my brave diploma came

I must confess—perhaps with shame—
I never had to multiply
A fraction when I sell or buy.

I wonder why?

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and one of the pioneers of the labor movement in America, was born in London, Jan.

Putnam & Son Co

166 CENTRAL STREET



A Sale of Boys' Suits

That embraces our entire stock
of Winter Norfolk Suits

31 ODD SUITS FOR \$1.50

Sizes from 11 years to 18. The collection embraces all odd suits from lots that sold for \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50.

35 NORFOLK SUITS FOR \$2.50

Sizes 8 years to 18. Fancy cheviots and cassimeres. Sold for \$3.50 and \$4.00.

59 NORFOLK SUITS FOR \$3.50

Sizes 8 years to 18. All from this season's lots that sold for \$4.50 and \$5.00.

117 NORFOLK SUITS FOR \$5.00

Sizes 8 years to 18. All this season's styles. Fancy cheviots and cassimeres. Sold for \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$8.00.

54 FINEST NORFOLK SUITS FOR \$7.50

The smartest and most expensive suits in stock, sizes up to 18 years, including Rogers-Peet's suits. Sold for \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00.

A FEW OVERCOATS FOR \$2.50

To fit large boys 10 years to 16—All from lots that were \$5.00 and \$6.00.

which they might wish to improve as leading from town to town, either under the "small town act" or with the aid of automobile fees. We did this to relieve the town of Westford of a burden which might prove considerable, in case the road is put in fair condition.

We have filled in on the map the portion of the road which is before us by position. Kindly let us know what you will do in the matter.

Yours very truly,
County Commissioners.

VISCOUNT KNUTSFORD DEAD

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Viscount Knutsford, who for many years was prominent in the conservative party, died today in his 85th year. He is succeeded by his son, Sydney George Holiland, born in 1855.

Greek-American Market

585 MARKET STREET—OPPOSITE FENWICK

Spring Leg of Lamb.....15c Lb. Rump Steak.....28c Lb.

Lamb Yearling.....12½c Lb. Roast Beef.....23c Lb.

Rib Pork.....16c Lb. Sliced Ham.....25c Lb.

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NEW ROAD AT WESTFORD

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS SEND LETTER TO WESTFORD BOARD OF TRADE

The county commissioners have

sent the following communication to

the selectmen of the town of Westford relative to the repairing of the road known as Acton road, which runs from the Chelmsford line, Westford, to the Carlisle railroad station.

Board of Selectmen, Westford, Mass.

Gentlemen: As you are probably aware, this board has been in session relative to the Acton road, from the Chelmsford line to Carlisle station in Westford.

We informed the highway commis-

sion by letter, concerning this matter, having in mind that it was a road

NEWS OF LEGISLATURE

House Favors Naphen of Natick—
Senate Considers Payment of
the Strike Police

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—William J. Naphen of Natick will occupy the vacant seat in the house if the report of a majority of the committee on elections, made yesterday, is adopted. The report, which is on the calendar for today, finds that Naphen received 1016 votes and Thomas H. Brennan 1015 and recommends that Naphen be declared elected to the house.

In the senate, the bill recommended by the Fall River police board that cities and towns to which police are furnished in time of riot or strike, should pay not only the wages of the officers and their traveling expenses, but also for their food, lodging and pension in case of illness or injury by such service, was substituted for the adverse report of the committee on cities. It is to come up today.

Reports of committees were read and placed in the order of the day as follows:

Arms and Means—A bill to allow the disbursing officer of the state board of charity to give bond in \$12,000, instead of \$7,000, the sum of \$10,000 in advances instead of \$5000.

An order was adopted permitting the committee on education to visit Northampton on or before Jan. 29. The rules were suspended and the bill to allow Christ church, Springfield, to hold \$60,000 in property was passed and sent to the house. The bill to take the licenses of hawkers and peddlers from the secretary of the commonwealth and give it to the commissioner of weights and measures was postponed till today.

State Institutions

Representative Roland D. Sawyer of Ware, in speaking before the joint committee on rules yesterday afternoon in support of his petition for the appointment of a standing recess committee to investigate and inspect public institutions for the care of insane, sick, paupers and prisoners, declared that a case had been reported to him by ex-Representative Edward E. McGrath of 1193 Tremont street, where an inmate of the Medfield state asylum had been placed in a straight-jacket and the straight-jacket left there so long, without being washed or cared for, that the flesh became filthy. Mr. Sawyer added that Mr. McGrath had promised to produce witnesses to prove this statement, if so requested.

Mr. Sawyer also told of complaints regarding the sanitary conditions, ventilation and food at the state prison, that had been reported to him by H. W. Stebbins, former chaplain.

Representative Meade of Brookton declared that he had been familiar with conditions at Medfield for several years and had never known of a straight-jacket being used there. He also said that it seemed peculiar that Mr. Stebbins had not spoken previously on conditions at the state prison. He declared that the ventilation and light at the state prison were very good, in fact much better than the average working man's home.

Speaker Cushing said he considered that the prison commission and the governor's council had the necessary powers for the investigation desired by Mr. Sawyer and, although he was in thorough sympathy with any movement to better the conditions of prisoners or state charges, he could not agree that the bill proposed by Mr. Sawyer would help conditions materially.

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"Coddling" will
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CRUSADE AGAINST DRUG EVIL

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Pleasant Event at the Police Station This Morning

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John F. Duffy argued in favor of his bill to appropriate \$25,000 for a Suffolk law library, free to every attorney to take the place of the Social Law Library. Treasurer Jeremiah Smith of the Social Law Library opposed the scheme. Mr. Duffy also argued for his bill to create a district court for Mattapan, which was opposed by Michael J. Murray of Roxbury and Representative L. F. Gilman of Hyde Park.

Gov. Walsh to Council,

Governor Walsh made to the executive council yesterday an important statement, in which he indicated his intention of requiring persons who were candidates for notaries public or justices of the peace, unless their qualifications were obvious, to appear in person before the governor or a committee of the council in order that their fitness may be determined.

"My attention has been called," says the governor, "to the fact that the lack of care and of investigation in the appointment of justices of the peace and notaries public has led to many abuses in the past; that the appointment of men of limited education who know practically nothing about the powers and duties of these offices, and in some instances can hardly speak the English language, is creating a condition that calls for some remedial action."

"The form of application for appointment as notary public now requires that it be signed by at least five well-known persons, one of whom must be a member of the bar, one an executive officer of the city or town, and one a justice of some court of record.

Danger Among Foreigners

Notwithstanding this precaution, applications have been approved by justices of our courts when, on the very face of the application, it was evident that the applicant could not spell the simplest words in the English language or write intelligibly. It is evident, therefore, that the precaution heretofore existing has not sufficed to prevent undesirable persons from receiving these appointments.

The powers of a notary public in foreign countries are exceedingly broad and it is considered a responsible and honorable office. The result of promiscuously empowering persons to hold these offices has already led to misrepresentation and abuse of the authority given, especially among our foreign population.

Must Be Examined

The constitution of Massachusetts requires the governor to appoint notaries public and justices of the peace in the same manner as judicial officers are appointed.

The responsibility being upon me in the first instance to appoint these men I intend in the future to require that all persons other than attorneys-at-law or those connected with mercantile or financial institutions, appear in person before the governor or a committee of the council to be briefly examined as to their fitness for the appointment which they seek.

I would also request that justices of courts in the future cooperate with the executive department of the commonwealth by using more care in approving applications submitted to them.

REVOLUTIONARY LEADER

MME. BRESCHKOVSKAYA WAS SENTENCED TO 15 MONTHS SOLITARY CONFINEMENT

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Mme. Katherine Breschkovskaya, the Russian revolutionary leader, has been punished for her recent attempt to escape from Siberia, according to word which reached sympathizers here today with a sentence of 18 months' solitary confinement.

It was early in December last year that Mme. Breschkovskaya, "the grand-mother of the Russian revolution," made a successful attempt to escape from the permanent exile to which she was sentenced in March, 1910. She had been permitted to go to dinner under police escort at the lodgings of a fellow exile in the village of Kirovsk up under the Arctic circle. She remained until evening, when a companion, Anfret, dressed in her clothing, emerged from the house. Accompanied by the police, he was hobbled to the lodgings of Mme. Breschkovskaya, where he remained.

This was on Dec. 1 and it was not until Dec. 4 that the escape was discovered. All the machinery for pursuit was put to work with the result that Mme. Breschkovskaya, dressed as a man, was intercepted and taken to Kirovsk.

Mme. Breschkovskaya is 75 years old and more than 25 years of her life has been spent in prison or in exile. Her father was a nobleman and landowner in the province of Chernigov. Her present exile followed a trial for revolutionary conspiracy that attracted public attention in many countries.

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How they would have welcomed it. For they knew the blessed relief that the old-fashioned mustard plaster gave for colds, aches and pains.

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Just massage it in with the fingers tips briskly. See how quickly it brings relief—how speedily the pain disappears.

Accept no substitute. If your druggist cannot supply you, send 25c or 50c to the MUSTEROLE Company, Cleveland, Ohio, and we will mail you a jar, postage prepaid.

J. T. G. Emery, M. D., Waterboro,

Me., says:

"Musterole is much better in every respect than the mustard plaster on the evening. The principal speaker was Rev. Charles L. McCollie of Lawrence, and several excellent songs were contributed by Miss Olive French.

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The sergeant arrived at the station

at 8 o'clock as usual and a few minutes

after the night shift men had an

swered the roll call he was called into

the guard room, where all his former

men had gathered. In behalf of those

present Patrolman John McCarthy pre

sented the officer a handsome gold

badge embossed with the seal of the

city of Lowell and tastefully engraved.

Patrolman McCarthy in making the

presentation reviewed the work of the

popular sergeant during his four years

as sergeant of the late night shift, and

told how the men regretted to lose

such a close friend and valuable super

visor. He said the "boys" of the late

shift, including those who a short time

ago were shifted, wished to honor

their sergeant for the kind treatment

given them while he was with them

and he concluded by extending to Ser

geant Giroux in behalf of all present

their good wishes for his success and

happiness.

Sergeant Giroux, although taken un

aware, thanked his friends and assured

them that although now located in an

other branch of the business, he will

always be with them in spirit, for he

assured them that the best four years

of his life were passed with the "boys"

of the late night shift, and he told

them that the gift will be treasured as

a souvenir and bond of friendship. The

25 patrolmen of the late night shift as

well as the four who were shifted to

other parts of the department were

present at the presentation.

South Ends, Associate Tonight.

GERMAN ATHLETES COMING

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—A team from other Heidelberg, Leipzig and

Stuttgart universities will participate

in the relay games here in 1915, ac

cording to a prediction made by Alvin

Kraenzlein in a letter received today

at the university of Pennsylvania.

Kraenzlein, who was a star hurdler,

runner, broad jumper and shot putter

when at Pennsylvania, is now

coaching German athletes in preparation

for the next Olympic games.

He said in his letter that the relay runners at the German universities "are

not at present of sufficient calibre to

compete with the representatives of

the large American clubs but after

a year of competent coaching should

be able to give the best teams good

race."

Oxford university has already en

tered a team in the relays.

ASSIST CALUMET STRIKERS

LANSING, Mich., Jan. 29.—Labor

leaders of Michigan holding official

positions in almost every vocation af

filled with the Michigan State Fed

eration of Labor attended a confer

ence at the state capitol today to de

cide upon a plan for raising funds to

REPORT ON DRUNKENNESS

Commission Finds Jail Terms Improper Treatment and Recommends Hospital Care

Features in Report on Drunkenness

Only 62 per cent. of inmates received at Foxboro have a court history.

Of all criminals 96 per cent. are intemperate by habit.

Loss was 300,000 working days last year.

Of all arrested in 1912 there were 41,500 or 42 per cent. released by the probation officer.

The payment of fines should be ordered with great care.

Imprisonment for fines should be reduced or abandoned.

A large number of cases can be cured by hospital treatment. There is lack of curative treatment for women.

It is inexpedient to apply state-wide prohibition as a remedy.

It is unwise to try elimination of private profit as a remedy. Local option approved.

General remedies are public demonstrations of evil of drunkenness and "neighborhood centres" as a substitute for the saloon.

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—No more imprisonment for drunkenness is the prominent feature of an exhaustive report submitted yesterday by the commission created under Chapter 117 of the Resolves of 1913.

The report is signed by Judge Michael J. Murray, chairman; Dr. Irwin H. Neff, W. Rodman Peabody, Dr. Elmer E. Southard and Edwin O. Childs, Jr., secretary.

The findings of the commission are as follows:

"Our study of the existing penal procedure for persons arrested for drunkenness has led us to the conviction that imprisonment is generally an inappropriate treatment for this class of misdemeanants. In general, it should be ordered only for persons who do not respond to release, probation, fine and suspended sentence. Moreover, we believe that no person should be sent to prison for drunkenness until examination of the person by medical experts has demonstrated to their satisfaction that he cannot be benefited by hospital treatment.

"Habitual drunkards who are criminals, who prove unmanageable in hospitals for inmates, are the only types for whom imprisonment should be ordered. Those who are mentally defi-

cient should be placed in an appropriate institution for defectives.

Avoid Imposing Fines

"We urge, therefore, the abandonment of imprisonment for drunkards except for the criminal and unmanageable. In place of imprisonment, we believe that the probation officers and courts of the state should make wider and more uniform use of their right to release without arraignment persons arrested for drunkenness who have not been arrested twice before within 12 months. Persons arrested more than twice within the year, and others where the court deems advisable, should generally be placed on probation. The probation service of the state should be consistently developed, both in extent and quality.

"The fine should be used less frequently than at present and should be ordered only where the burden of the fine will fall upon the defendant. Imprisonment for non-payment of fine should be avoided and the payment of fine under suspended sentence through the probation officer should be substituted.

Prevention of Drunkenness

"Prevention should take precedence over cure at every point in a rational social policy for the control of drunkenness. There are seven fundamental ways in which this commonwealth might reduce drunkenness:

"First, by state-wide prohibition of the liquor traffic; second, by elimination of private profit in the sale of intoxicating liquors; third, by more thorough enforcement of existing legislation regulating the sale of liquor; fourth, by amendments to the existing liquor laws; fifth, by increasing and improving public instruction on temperance; sixth, by competing with the saloon as a club through public provision of wholesome recreation for all persons; seventh, by the gradual elimination of those factors in the environment and heredity of the individual which may predispose him to excessive use of alcohol as a drug.

The Recommendations

Following are the detailed recommendations:

(1) That a metropolitan branch of the Norfolk state hospital be established within the metropolitan district.

(2) For the treatment of delirium tremens.

(3) To serve as observation and receiving ward for the Norfolk state hospital.

(4) To provide a clinic for incipient cases of inebriety.

(5) To serve as headquarters of the out-patient department of the Norfolk state hospital.

(6) To provide medical officers to visit prisons in the evening and early morning to examine cases arrested for drunkenness three times within 12 months, and others at the discretion of the probation officer, to ascertain if these persons are in need of hospital treatment.

(7) That a hospital for women inmates be established in connection with the Norfolk state hospital.

(8) That the number of cottages in the hospital and detention departments of the Norfolk state hospital be increased.

(9) That judges of the Boston municipal court be given power to commit to the Norfolk state hospital un-

der the acts of 1909, chapter 501, section 29.

(10) That section 50 of the acts of 1909, chapter 674, be amended so that an inebriate willing to submit to "conditional admission" (as distinguished from "voluntary admission" under section 54) to the Norfolk state hospital may be committed by any of the judges mentioned in section 29 of the acts of 1909, chapter 674, upon the filing of a certificate of the inebriety of the alleged inebriate by any town or city physician, any physician designated by the selectmen or mayor of the town or city in which the inebriate has settled, or by any one physician privately employed.

(11) That the office of probation officer shall not be held by any deputy sheriff or clerk of court.

Judicious Glugger Sales

(12) That the sale by druggists (holders of licenses of sixth class) of intoxicating liquors—Jamaica ginger, ethyl alcohol be prohibited, except upon the prescription of a duly registered physician practising within the commonwealth. Such prescription should be filled only once, and should not be refilled. Sale of intoxicating liquors or ethyl alcohol by druggists for mechanical and chemical purposes should be expressly prohibited.

(13) That provision be made for examination by the state board of health of all intoxicating liquors suspected of adulteration, submitted by the licensing authorities, board of health, or police department, of any city or town; such analysis to be made to ascertain the presence of any poisons, drugs, or other substances dangerous to the health of the user. The annual appropriation to the state board of health should be made sufficient to cover all increases in expenditures which may be involved in this service.

Lectures on Drink Evil

(14) That the board of education be empowered to co-operate with the state board of health, charity and insanity, prison commissioners, or any public employees or private citizens of the state professionally dealing with the treatment of inebriates, or in scientific research of inebriates, or in scientific research of any phase of the alcohol problem which they may deem important; to arrange for lectures to be delivered annually at all normal schools of the state, and at any teachers' meeting, and to prepare manual for teachers indicating the best ways in which to give instruction in all phases of the alcohol problem, and in self-control.

(15) That the state board of health be empowered and directed with such aid as it may require from the board of education, the state boards of charity and insanity, the prison commissioners, and other public employees or private citizens, to prepare and to issue from time to time posters, showing by charts or otherwise, the results of scientific experiments on the effects of the use of alcohol upon the structure and functions of the human body, and the injurious effects upon the health, industries or general welfare of the people which may be caused by the use of alcohol; such posters to be delivered without cost to the mayors of all cities, and the selectmen of all towns of the commonwealth, to superintendents of schools, and to other persons upon request.

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ST. ELIZABETH'S HOSPITAL

MEETING OF CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE HELD LAST NIGHT—OVER 700 REPORTED

The various committees in charge of raising \$300,000 for St. Elizabeth's hospital, Brighton, made their first report last evening, and though the work had not been really begun in some parishes, the first day's activity netted a total of \$45,235, and but comparatively few people had been reached, the collecting committees feel that this first report augurs well for the success of the undertaking. In Greater Boston the mercury in the collection thermometer is going up steadily and already over \$50,000 has been collected.

At the meeting held last evening the executive chairman, Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan, was very enthusiastic not only concerning the local collection but because of the readiness with which the appeal of the cardinal has been responded to throughout the archdiocese.

He was kept in touch with the campaign leaders in Boston since the movement was started and everywhere the returns have been generous. The last report last evening on the fact that St. Elizabeth's in its work of almost half a century had ministered to those of all creeds, and that therefore the collection is open to all denominations.

Beginning today, the parish collections will be started in earnest. The sub-committees have arranged for teams of collectors to cover the city thoroughly and to report daily to campaign headquarters at Dr. Dougherty's office, 3 Hynes building.

The committee hopes that the people will be ready for the collectors when they call, remembering that this is the first occasion during its entire 46 years of charitable service to the community on which St. Elizabeth's has been obliged to make a public appeal for assistance.

The present crisis is not one resulting from declining efficiency in the past but on the contrary, this appeal for funds is rather the result of the remarkable growth of the institution and the increasing demands made upon it of late years.

The money sought by the charitable people who are conducting the campaign is not to be devoted to the reconstruction or reorganization of an institution that has failed, nor to pay off a bad debt. It will be devoted to the completion and equipment of the new buildings at Brighton, to extend and render greater and more efficient the good work and charitable service which the famous hospital has rendered since the very beginning under the administration of the Order of Franciscan Sisters. Over 1500 patients are cared for annually in the wards.

St. Michael's

This noon St. Michael's parish made the first report of the campaign. Rev. Fr. Denis F. Murphy who has generally reported that the responses to the collectors up to the present have been ready and generous, and he has no doubt but that St. Michael's in the good work of raising \$5000 for the new hospital.

The work of collecting is in charge of three committees known respectively as the business men's committee, the Rosary committee, and the Sunday school committee. These three committees turned in a total of \$26,000 for the first day's work, divided as follows: Business men's committee, \$150.00; Rosary committee, \$6,700; and Sunday school committee,

84 FAMILIES ASSISTED LOWELL LOSES PITCHER

By City Under Act Providing Aid for Mothers With Dependent Children—\$25,000 Needed

The number of families being assisted by the city under the act providing assistance for mothers with dependent children under 14 years of age is 84, 6 new families having come in since January 1. The total amount to be paid the 84 families for the month of January will be \$1781.68 which would mean an expense of over \$27,000 for the year providing no more families should be enrolled. The fact remains, however, that new families are coming in every month and it has been estimated that the total expense this year would amount to about \$25,000.

The work is being carefully looked after by the visitor or inspector appointed for that purpose. The visitor has her headquarters at the office of the board of charities at city hall. As soon as application is made for assistance under the act in question the visitor goes to the home and investigates conditions there. Besides the visits made when applications are received she also makes quarterly visits, and sends quarterly reports to the state board of charities on blanks prepared by the state board for that purpose. Besides the quarterly reports she also makes reports on each individual case. The assistance given is based, of course, upon the number of children in the family. Some mothers have but one child while others have eight or nine children. The average, it is stated, is about four children to a family.

A BARGE PARTY DRAFTSMEN WON

Conducted by Belvidere Bachelor Girls Last Night—Great Success

The annual barge party, supper and dance of the Belvidere Bachelor girls was held last evening at Schofield's farm, Tyngsboro, and the affair was one of the most enjoyable of its kind held during the present season. Nearly 50 couples were present and took part in the program and all enjoyed the evening's entertainment.

Although the event was heralded as a sleigh ride, the sudden departure of the snow made it necessary for the committee to change its plans and when the merrymakers assembled at the corner of Church and Central streets about 7.15 they found three large barges waiting to convey them to their destination.

Over the roads they journeyed with all the comfort to be found on a rubber tired barge sprung over boulders. And of course they were not altogether quiet during the ride for "On the Old Fall River Line," "You Made Me Love You" and other popular songs were sang with a spirit that attracted the attention of habitants all along the route.

Shortly after their arrival at Schofield's they assembled in the spacious dining room and partook of the many good things on the menu. It is needless to say that all had good appetites after the ride over the country roads and the supper was very much enjoyed.

The committee which had planned to make the day "chockful" of everything that comprises a rousing good time lived up to the expectations of their many friends who learned that a live program had been arranged for them.

The greater number spent the remainder of the evening in the dance hall where a popular orchestra furnished excellent music. None but the experienced dances were indulged in and the various numbers on the dance orders were gone through to the enjoyment of both the dancers who glided lightly over the floor and onlookers.

Shortly before midnight the happy young people again took their places in the barges for the return trip which was fully as enjoyable and lively as the ride earlier in the evening. On their arrival at Towers' corner the jolly party divided into groups and traveled to their homes in the various sections of the city expressing much pride to the Belvidere Bachelor girls for the fine time afforded them.

CALIFORNIA ALIEN LAND BILL

TOKIO, Jan. 29.—Hopes are expressed in official circles here today that a basis of understanding on the California alien land ownership question will be found soon by the United States and Japanese governments. The chief concern here at present seems to be in regard to future legislation in America and it is said any additional enactments unfavorable to the Japanese would be considered a serious menace to the traditional friendship of the two countries.

The government at Washington has endeavored to assure Japan that the state of California would cease the enactment of laws held by Japan to be discriminatory. This is admitted here but it is pointed out that owing to the political distinctions between the federal and state governments there might be some difficulty in obtaining convincing assurances for the future.

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tal Already in

HOSPITAL CAMPAIGN
Campaigns to raise funds for vari-
ous institutions and organizations
have been quite frequent in past years,
and in most instances have been suc-
cessful. Some examples of such move-
ments in which the sum of \$100,000 or
more was realized are given below:

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
There isn't any doubt but what local
theatregoers love good moving pic-
tures. That is the majority of those
who attend the theatre. And it's equally
certain that there isn't any one of them
adverse to a little good vaudeville,
either. So the management of the
Merrimack Square theatre, now that
the stock company is going away, has
hit upon the happy plan of combining
the two and offering both at an admis-
sion so small that the theatre will al-
ways be packed. For the coming week
The Exposition Four, Little B. May-
nard, Eddie Rickenbacker, Fred
Munical, Leslie and "Rinaldi," Roane
and others will be on hand. Other
attractions are the vaudeville attractions
and then there will also be a series
of the latest photo-plays. Not the
ordinary kind, but a special feature,
and three other rods of motion picture
metre. The price will be 25c. The price
will be 25c. with reserved seats at
five cents extra. There will be two
bills a week. One on Monday and
another complete new show again on
Thursday. And of course the usual
Sunday concert. Let's five performances
of the stock company starting
tonight. "Good-by" night Saturday.

THE OWL THEATRE
Today is the last chance to see
Charles Klein's drama, "The Third
Degree." In five acts, as played by the
Lubin company at the Owl theatre. This
great photo-drama made a big hit, and
packed houses resulted at each perfor-
mance yesterday. Five other big
films were shown, the performance of
the order that is rarely seen.

FRIENDS IN THIS CITY
Friends in this city of Mrs. Louis
Jones, formerly Mrs. Elizabeth Sharpe,
a graduate nurse of the Lowell General
Hospital are in receipt of a despatch
bringing forth the sad news that Mrs.
Jones and her husband were drowned
in the flood from the mountains at
Santa Barbara, Cal. Tuesday. Their
three children, however, were saved.

**IF YOU WANT HELP AT HOME OR IN YOUR
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HOSPITAL FUND
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Lawyer So Terms Wit-
nesses Who Testified
Against Policeman

BOSTON, Jan. 29.—Indications point
that the fund for the new St. Eliz-
abeth's hospital will today reach the
\$45,000 mark. Yesterday the great
campaign for the raising of the \$200,
000 in 10 days assumed something of
the whirlwind aspect which is bound
to characterize it from now on.

At noon yesterday the amount given
out was \$51,894.86, and the column of
red mercury of the mammoth thermo-
meter was watched by thousands as
it continued on its course to stop at
least at the \$20,000 mark.

While these figures were being
thrown out for the edification of the
throngs in the street below, the com-
mittee within was handling an ava-
lanche of reports, which kept them
busily until the afternoon. These
together with the reports made by the
different teams at the evening meet-
ing and reports coming in late from
the outside, when completed will, it is
believed, bring the total very close to
the \$65,000 mark.

Today the jury will be given the
case. It is expected that after Attorney
Feeley finishes his argument and after
the argument of Asst. Dist. Atty. Web-
ber and the judge's charge, it will be
about 1 o'clock.

Yesterday the government rested at
2:10 in the afternoon and after attorney
and Judge Chase conferred, Attorney
Feeley began his argument at 3
o'clock. When court adjourned he had
not finished and the first 45 minutes
of his argument will be used to conclude
his argument.

MANHATTAN NIGHT, ASSO., N.Y.

STRIKE LEADER A BRIDE

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—The various He-
brew societies and labor organizations
of Greater Boston were well repre-
sented last night at the wedding of Miss
Mollie Silbert of 12 North Anderson
street, West End, who last spring led
thousands of striking garment workers
in their successful strike, who was
married to Louis Horowitz, a young
business man of the West End, in
Olifield hall, Roxbury.

Among the guests at the wedding
were many garment workers who, to-
gether with Miss Silbert, struggled for
better conditions and higher wages.

The prospective groom came to this
country five years ago, and it was
while he was struggling to obtain an
education and to learn the customs of
the land that he met Miss Silbert. Af-
ter a courtship of several months
their betrothal was announced and
Horowitz decided to go home and visit
his brothers and sisters before his
marriage.

It was then when he was seized and
ordered to four years service in the
Czar's army. After serving six months
he managed to escape, and after ex-
periencing countless dangers reached
Hamburg and secured passage on a
steamer sailing for America.

When so great success has crowned
the efforts of the workers in move-
ments of the kind restricted to one
city, there is innumerable greater
cause to presume that the success of
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paign will be in accordance with the
size of the territory over which it ex-
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time. For many years Buckle's has
been the best there has ever
been. His daughter is as polished as
any of any comedian on the stage, and
his inimitable manner will make him
an instant favorite. Ward and Curran
in their own comedy, "The Terrible
Judge," are back again for a week, and

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